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FIRST PICTURES OF DOVES PRACTICE

For index in identifying the eight Doves shown, No. 1 is Moran, an outfielder; No. 2, Becker, also in the outfield; No. 3, Shean, who covers second; No. 4, Getz, the third baseman; No. 5, Beck, who last season covered third and played outfield; No. 6, Cooney, who is slated to cover the initial bag; No. 7, Raridan, catcher, and No. 8 is Brown, one of the staff of twirlers.

From snap-shot photographs taken expressly for the Boston American on the ball field at Augusta, Georgia, and received in Boston to-day.

CANNON BEATEN IN HOUSE VOTE ON CHAIR'S RULING

[BULL ETIN.]

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Speaker Cannon was overruled on the proposition that the decision of the chair on the Norris amendment shall stand as the decision of the House, by a vote of 160 to 182.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—By a majority of 17 on a test vote the allied Insurgents and Democrats landed another vital blow upon Speaker Cannon this afternoon and its effect was a visible tottering of the Speaker's citadel of defiance.

The test vote was taken after Mr. Cannon had ruled against the Norris resolution, thus openly defying his combined foes.

A motion to lay the Norris appeal from the Speak's decision on the table was defeated by 194 ayes to 181 noes. This was a complete victory for the insurgents.

Its sting was deep and humiliating to the Speaker, who after announcing the result of the vote, said pathetically and in trembling tones that the question now was, "Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the House?"

Speaker Cannon almost immediately after the House reconvened defied the Democrats and insurgents in the terrific battle to overthrow him and ruled in favor of the point of order raised by his right hand man, Representative Dalzell of Pennsylvania, against the Norris resolution to enlarge the rules committee and take its control from the Speaker. Representative Norris appealed.

Compromise in Vain.

The House met without a compromise having been reached. As the session opened, the regulars cheered and applauded, and the opposition added to the din lustily. Then the speaker began reading his ruling on the point of order amid absolute quiet. When he finished at 12:31 the regulars broke into cheers and terrific applause lasted for several minutes.

Then came Norris's appeal, and Dalzell moved to adjourn, but the motion was lost. Both sides were determined to carry on the fight to a finish.

Cannon Greeted With Cheers.

Promptly at noon Speaker Cannon called the House to order. When he entered the House the scene presented was one of great excitement. The applause and yelling of the members was vociferous, but the tumult was stilled while the clerk read the Journal.

Representative Butler of Pennsylvania, and other regulars immediately began circulating petitions on the Republican side of the House to have a conference held tonight between all two Republicans and the insurgents in an endeavor to reach an agreement.

Representative Martin of South Dakota, who proposed a substitute for the Norris amendment that the Committee on Rules should consist of six Republicans and four

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DROPPING THE PILOT

By T. E. Powers.

CAMPBELL IS ACCUSED OF FIST ATTACK

Francis A. Campbell, clerk of the Superior Civil Court, and prominent in political circles, will appear before Judge Parmenter on Monday in response to a summons issued to-day at the request of Joseph L. Kane, of East Boston, who charges that Campbell assaulted him in Tremont street Monday evening.

The fistic clash between the two men is said to have grown out of an attempt on the part of Campbell to oust one of his assistants who is a friend of Kane.

A conference that lasted about an hour preceded the granting of the summons. Lawyers Drew and Kennard were present to represent Kane, and Daniel H. Coakley represented Campbell. Both Campbell and Kane were also there. Robert Abbott of Cambridge, who saw the fight was also there.

No Warrant Asked.

The conference was private but it was understood that the reason a warrant was not asked for, which would have called for the arrest of Campbell and the consequent giving of bail, was because he was in the building and volunteered to respond willingly to a summons.

Neither of the men showed any marks of the clash, although Kane exhibited a handkerchief that bore stains which he said represented the gory feature of the combat. Abbott told Judge Parmenter that he had seen the fight and that Campbell had hit Kane and that Kane had hit Campbell.

Unequal in Size.

Campbell is a larger man than Kane. The two men met about 7 o'clock on Monday evening in front of Zinn's florist store, and it is alleged that Campbell went for Kane.

Just way Kane waited so long before he decided to take legal action did not appear.

UNIDENTIFIED MAN KILLED UNDER TRAIN

The Somerville police are to-day, trying to identify the body of an unknown man who was run over by the west-bound Troy express on the Fitchburg division of the Boston & Maine Railroad at the Bedford street crossing. The body is now at one of the local undertaking establishments awaiting a claimant. The police hope to identify the body through a button of the International Union of Steam Engineers which he carried on his coat. A ticket numbered 2,038, for an entertainment to be held on April 7 by the Somerville Aerie, F. O. E., was found in his pocket.

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MILLION TO QUIT UNLESS STRIKE ENDS

PHILADELPHIA, March 19.—E. E. Greenawalt, president of the State Federation of Labor, to-day began preparations to call a Statewide general strike of 1,000,000 workers for Monday morning. Although President Greenawalt had not definitely decided on this course, it was declared that only an immediate promise of peace could avert the hastening of the State strike.

President Greenawalt to-day disclaimed all responsibility on the part of the strikers for the violence of yesterday.

"That can only do our cause harm," he declared. The attempts to dynamite two cars last night to-day were the subjects of loose investigation by the police.

The situation to-day showed a firmer position than had met the interests working for a settlement since the beginning of the strike.

The Rapid Transit Company has outlined the terms on which it will accept peace, and C. O. Pratt, international counsellor of the car men, has definitely declared that the men will not return to work on those terms.

WENHAM STIRRED BY TAX JUGGLING CHARGE

WENHAM, March 19.—This town is much excited over the reports that have been circulated following an examination of the tax books of former Collector Frederick P. Stanton, who was succeeded last year by J. E. Kavanaugh.

It is declared that several taxpayers have received bills for back taxes that they paid and which do not appear to have been credited on the books. Frederick H. Prince paid taxes for between $1,400 and $1,500 for 1908, which are said not to be credited, and Joseph Lake, Mrs. Mary Reardon and George H. Wyatt, the two latter of Beverly Farms, say that they have received bills for taxes that they paid.

No charges have been made against Stanton. The selectmen say that they do not know just where they stand. Stanton said: "When they get through raking me over the coals I may have something to say."

SHOT CAT, FINED $10 FOR NOT KILLING IT

ROGOTA, N. J., March 19.—Jacob Weisberger shot a neighbor's cat because it annoyed his pigeons, but the bullet did not kill it.

He was fined $10 by Justice Bratt, who said: "I would dismiss the case had you killed the cat, but your aim was bad."

HARVARD GETS QUAKE RECORD

An earthquake was recorded by the Harvard College seismograph at 6:30 o'clock last evening, it became known to-day, and a dispatch from Cleveland says that instruments in that city recorded a similar disturbance early to-day. Professor J. H. Woodworth, who is in charge of the Harvard instrument, said that it looked as though the earthquake had been in the middle of the Pacific Ocean.

"In my opinion," said Professor Woodworth, to-day, "the disturbance did not occur in South America as other stations have reported it. I have been unable to find out just exactly where it did occur, but I believe that the shock took place somewhere in the middle of the Pacific Ocean. The record which we obtained of the earthquake was very imperfect, and I cannot state with any degree of accuracy exactly where it did occur."

DIES OF GRIEF OVER HER DEAD SON

Grief for the death of her son was the primary cause of the death of Mrs. Ellen P. Kenerson at Beachmont. It was intensified by the peculiarity and circumstances of the passing of Benjamin F. Kenerson at the City Hospital on February 25. Kenerson was engaged to Miss May Lond of Dorchester, and when the physicians found that there was no longer hope of his recovery Miss Lond made a wild ride in an automobile to get a marriage license, while the Rev. Herbert N. Johnson, pastor of the Warren Avenue Baptist Church, also speeded madly in his automobile to the hospital, to perform the marriage ceremony. Both were too late, as Kenerson breathed his last as the rushing automobile reached the hospital entrance. Mrs. Kenerson became ill on the day of her son's funeral, and failed steadily.

TAKEN IN TIME—FATHER JOHN'S

Medicine prevents pneumonia and consumption.

LODGE RULES TOWN MEETING

United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge missed all the fun at Washington to-day, but he made up for it by taking part in the town meeting at Nahant. Coming home especially for the occasion, he was rewarded by being elected moderator. The honor did not come as a surprise. It has been given to him every year for a long time. He did not make a speech, merely expressed his thanks and then the balloting for the town officials began to end at 3 o'clock. About 700 were present.

There were two contests on—one for treasurer and the other for assessor. C. Calvet Johnson, who has been town treasurer for many years, was opposed by James J. Deagney. The assessorship fight was a four-cornered one. The candidates were Walter Southwick, Bernard J. Curtihar, Daniel G. Flaherty and James C. Shaughnessey. It looked as though either Flaherty or Shaughnessey would win.

Then there was a spat over the new fire truck. It cost $2,000 and was taken on trial. Many of the citizens did not think it can climb the hills well enough and were in favor of not appropriating the money to pay for it.

GLOVER VS. TICKLE AT AMERICAN A. C.

The American A. C. will hold its next meet Thursday evening, staging four eight-round bouts. This club will limit its bouts hereafter to eight rounds, and many new faces will be seen in the ring.

Popular prices will be charged its patrons and good bouts put on. Barney Riley of South Boston will meet Kid West of Cadsen in the opening mixup, and Steve Kennedy of Lawrence is to face Eddie Golden of Boston in the second. Jimmy Hanlon of Boston will top Pat Roes of Haverhill in the semi-final. Johnny Glover, the popular South Boston boy, will meet Ralph Tickle of Pawtucket in the main bout, which should be one of the best fights ever put on by the new club. Both boys have been showing class and are, as always, working upward.

CALL NEWELL IN LAND CASE

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The Ballinger-Pinchot investigation was resumed to-day with F. H. Newell, director of the reclamation service, on the stand.

Director Newell went over practically the same ground covered by Chief Engineer Davis last week in regard to the attitude of Secretary Ballinger toward reclamation, corroborating the testimony of Mr. Davis with respect to the criticism passed by Mr. Ballinger upon the action of his predecessor, Mr. Garfield, in withdrawing power sites which Mr. Ballinger contended was done in violation of law.

Mr. Newell said he had protested to Secretary Ballinger shortly after he became the head of the Interior department against the statement being made in the newspapers, emanating from Mr. Ballinger, that there was to be a big "shake up" in the reclamation service. Such statements, he said, were inimical to the good of the service.

"I told Mr. Ballinger," said Mr. Newell, "that if they did not cease I would have to sever my connection with the service." "What did he say to that?" asked Mr. Pepper.

"He simply disbred," replied Mr. Newell, "and did not say anything. Mr. Newell told of the insurrection which Secretary Ballinger had given virtually to the reclamation service that it recommended the restoration to entry of lands which had been withdrawn by Secretary Garfield.

AMERICANS WIN ENGLISH EVENTS

LONDON, March 19.—At the intercollegiate sporting meet here to-day M. Y. Macdonald of Oxford, an American Rhodes scholarship student, won the 120-yard hurdle race in 1 minute 16 seconds.

A. E. Putnam of Kansas, another Rhodes scholar at Oxford, won the hammer-throwing contest with a score of 140 feet 8 inches.

DOVES GETTING TO FORM VERY FAST

By W. H. ROSS.

AUGUSTA, Ga., March 19.—The Doves are getting into shape pretty fast. When the day dawned there wasn't a man in the squad who wasn't feeling better and not one of them who cannot be termed in fair form. Manager Lake said he was surprised to see how soon his boys began to get into condition.

"Young fellows," he said, "soon get over being lame. It's the old boys who get tied up into kinks that it takes a long time to straighten out. The kids don't have to nurse themselves. This team will be fit to play ball long before a nine of vets could duck the arnica bottle."

Lake starts the team at batting practice the first thing every day and works one squad of pitchers in the box in the morning and the other in the afternoon. During the two sessions he has every twirler at work, and he is looking the bunch over with as much care as a race horse trainer would inspect his string of thoroughbreds. It will be several days before the twirlers will try to do much more than get their wings limbered up.

He is just about as willing a man as ever trotted out on a ball field. Richie

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MUTT AND JEFF IN HARVARD PLAY

Mutt and Jeff, the famous BOSTON AMERICAN characters, will take part in the annual Hasty Pudding Club show at Harvard this year. G. P. Gardner of Boston, will play the part of Mutt, and J. R. Mayer of Philadelphia will appear as Jeff.

The comic opera is called "Diana's Debut," and the first performance will be given at the club house on April 5 and 6. The Boston performances will be on April 7, 8 and 9.

ALL LEATHER WORKERS MAY STRIKE MONDAY

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 19.—It is reported here to-day that the leather workers will declare a national strike on Monday.

JOHNSON ILL IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 19.—Tom L. Johnson, formerly Mayor of Cleveland, Ohio, is again at Prince George Hospital in this city and is again understood to be ill.

FREE APPLES IN SMASH-UP

A collision in Summer street between a street car and vegetable wagon to-day attracted hundreds of persons who helped themselves to several barrels of apples scattered about the street.

The wagon was owned and driven by Jacob Silverman of No. 73 Willis street. While crossing Summer street from Otis to Kingston a car bound for Franklin Park crashed into the wagon, overturning it and smashing the front vestibule of the car. The driver of the wagon saved himself by jumping. The car was in charge of Conductor Edward W. Springer and Motorman Allen Jarvis. The collision tied up traffic for twenty minutes.

THE WEATHER.

Fair and warmer Saturday and Sunday; light south and southwest winds.

Sun rises 5.51 a. m., sets 5.55 p. m. High tide 5.45 a. m. and 6.26 p. m. Moon sets 2.42 a. m.

CHECKS SHOW COLEMAN CHUM OF 'BIG BILL'

A review of the list of checks upon which George W. Coleman drew $135,000 of the money of the Cambridge National City Bank, the bulk of which was lost in the faro swindlers' gang, shows that while he began his pilfering last June it was not until he became intimate with "Big Bill" Kelliher that it became frequent and in large amounts.

There are forty-three checks on the list returned with the indictments found by the Federal Grand Jury. Only nine of these were drawn between June 2 and October 2. In the succeeding four months three were thirty-five.

Faro Gang Not Indicted.

The failure of the Federal Grand Jury to return indictments against the faro gang is not explained by United States District Attorney French. He says that he laid before the Grand Jury all evidence of any nature concerning every person in any way connected with the wrecking of the bank. The indictments, four in number, were returned against Coleman and Wilson W. Lockhart, his chauffeur.

There are sixty-three counts in the indictment against Coleman, forty-three alleging misapplication of the funds of the bank and the other twenty alleging the making of false entries in the books of the bank.

Against Lockhart forty-nine counts are specified, forty-three alleging that he aided and abetted Coleman in the misapplication of the funds and the six alleging the making of those entries.

Arraignment Next Week.

For the alleged misapplications Coleman and Lockhart are jointly indicted twice, once under the old Federal code and once under the new.

Coleman and Lockhart will probably be arraigned before Judge Lowell next week. The penalty for misapplication of funds, according to the Federal statute under which they will be indicted, is not less than five and not more than ten years in prison.

SEVERAL PERISH IN BIG YOKOHAMA FIRE

YOKOHAMA, March 19.—More than 500 houses lies in ruins to-day as the result of the $2,000,000 conflagration of yesterday. The fire dealt Yokohama one of the heaviest blows the city has received in decades. Many of the finest residences were burned. Seven bodies have been recovered from the debris, and it is believed that many more persons perished. Scores have been reported unaccounted for.

CRUSHED BY TREE, DIES.

CHAUNCEY, N. Y., March 19.—John Dennison, crushed by a tree which he had sawn through, died to-day at the Dobbs Ferry Hospital.

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CANNON IN RETREAT WITH ONLY HOPE FOR A VICTORY IN TAFT

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Democrats, to be elected by the House, amended his substitute for presentation to the House later in the day by providing that the Speaker shall be eliminated from the committee and that it shall take effect, March 5, 1911. The Republicans and the Democrats, it was immediately declared, would not accept this "compromise."

Speaker Announces Ruling.

It was 12.20 before the Speaker reached the vital question, it having taken that time to correct the record of yesterday. He opened the proceedings by causing the clerk to read the Norris resolution to amend the rules. The House was in dire attention, as the moment arrived for the Speaker to render his ruling on the point of order raised by Representative Dalzell of Pennsylvania, to making the decision Speaker Cannon said in part:

"The chair has been somewhat criticised because in this matter he has been slow to rule. But the question which was brought unexpectedly upon the attention of the House, in a revolutionary manner, as it seems to the chair, is of such transcending importance to the future procedure of the House, that the fullest, even the most protracted discussion seemed justifiable. In no other manner could the most complete information be brought to the considered action of the question and in no other way could the largest participation of the membership of the House be assured."

The Speaker went back to December 13, 1878, for a precedent, declaring that the identical question was answered there with a similar ruling. "There was a great civilization of the ruling in those days," he said, "so now, but not a thought of appealing from a decision so consonant with reason."

At 12.25 Speaker Cannon began the delivery of his ruling. There was absolute quiet in the House, everyone realizing that a crisis in the organization had arrived.

To-day found Cannon playing a desperate game to save his position. With the Democrats and insurgents holding the while the regulars are sending every energy to bring over enough Republicans, various schemes have been proposed and discussed from every angle by the fatigued legislators, worn out by the long struggle. But there is no indication that any agreement had been reached.

At the same time it was conceded that the resolution of Representative Norris, over which the battle has been waged, will hardly be adopted.

Favored as Compromise.

The plan which has met with most favor is that contained in the resolution agreed to by the regulars in conference increasing the committee to ten and eliminating the Speaker as a member. The resolution reads:

"The Committee on Rules shall consist of ten members, six of whom shall be members of the majority party and four of whom shall be members of the minority party, all of whom shall be elected by the House by a majority vote. The Committee on Rules shall elect its own chairman, and vacancies or parts thereof inconsistent with this resolution are hereby declared vacant."

Speaker Cannon was the center of interest to-day. From the adjournment of the House at 4 p. m. yesterday he was constantly conferring with his lieutenants, and early to-day the meetings were resumed.

The matter was put up squarely to the Speaker by the most faithful of his adherents and a general plea that he step down and prevent the further wrecking of this house by his opponents was made to him.

Situation Behind Struggle.

Behind the great struggle in the house there lies one of the most pathetic national political situations that the United States has seen in years. With the administration known to be zealous over the affairs of the Republican party in several States, including two of the most important, New York and Ohio, and public sentiment on the whole reported to be strongly against the policies for which Cannon stands, the fate of the Republican party in the next campaign for control of the House at the next election is one of the most important phases of the entire fight.

One of the national Republican leaders to-day declared that only the overthrow of Cannon could assure a general Republican victory. It is also their belief that the fight that Cannon's hope for intervention by the Administration is hopeless. It is known to Speaker Joe in Washington that the feeling of great bond of sympathy between the President and the Speaker, but this would not interfere, it is believed, with the Administration's aiding Cannon if the political necessities require it, or if the fate of the Administration policies hung in the balance.

After an early conference to-day it was predicted by the leaders that the case of the House will bow to the inevitable and that his letter of capitulation will be received by Monday.

The news that the Speaker is beaten was taken to him by his lieutenants, who for twenty hours had valuly battled on the floor of the House to prevent the humiliation of "Uncle Joe" and the long domination of Cannon. Cannon received the blow quietly. Convinced that the end of his power was at hand, the announcement that he was to use longer to continue the struggle and that he would read his ruling at the first opportunity. That opportunity came at 12.20 and with it came the acknowledgment by the Speaker of his defeat.

Recovers From Break-Down.

The Speaker showed little signs of fatigue, however, when he called the House for the reopening of the fight. Even his enemies were forced to admire his wonderful vitality. For a long time after the breakdown that forced him temporarily early yesterday morning to give up the fight.

The Democrats privately admit that they were not in the position to force Speaker Cannon resign, or even to see him removed from the chair. The challenge to-day was, they will, of necessity, vote for the Republican resolution offered by Dalzell, which is considered by them as a substantial victory.

"It will help keep the agitation against Cannonism alive in the next campaign," said a veteran Southern member.

The insurgents realized the great penalty they must pay if they want to punish the Speaker's power and the reformation of the rules. But they do want to place themselves in a position where constituents can point to their loyalty to Republican ideals.

Fellow long would Representative Gardner and Representative Ames last in their fight for the rules, "only to be challenged by friends 'Should this House actually pass, with their aid to the control of the Democratic party?'"

LYNN POLICE GET SUSPECT

The chief of police of Lynn received a telegram to-day from Police Inspector Burckes of Lynn and Inspector Arthur Wells of the State police that they have arrived at Sofia, Bulgaria, and have in custody Nalbandian, indicted for the murder last July of Minas Mordjian, in what is known as the "Lynn trunk mystery."

The officers sailed from New York on March 2 and made what is regarded as a unusually fast journey to Bulgaria.

The telegram says they found everything all right and that they will sail immediately from Constantinople with their prisoner. They expect to reach New York April 10 or 12.

TAFT AND FAIRBANKS TO ATTEND BANQUET

NEW YORK, March 19.—Former Vice-President Fairbanks to-day definitely decided to postpone his departure for Indianapolis, his home city, in order to attend the dinner of the National Civic and Arbitration League, at which President Taft will be present Tuesday night. Monday night Mr. and Mrs. Fairbanks will be the guests at a reception in their honor at the Waldorf-Astoria, given by the Ohio society.

RAISE YOUR OWN LOBSTERS
—Fascinating facts about what the U. S. is doing to prevent a famine in lobsters. Read it in the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

GALE IN ENGLISH CHANNEL; 2 WRECKS

LONDON, March 19.—Reports of disaster began to arrive to-day following a terrific all-night gale that swept the English channel. Two fishing boats were wrecked and one badly damaged, and many other craft are feared for.

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FINED $500 IN BANKRUPT CASE

Louis Miller of East Boston was fined $500 to-day by Judge Dodge of the United States District Court for conspiracy to conceal assets in the bankruptcy of the Merchants' Realty Trust Company of East Boston. Miller also made restitution to the amount of $500 to Albert S. Potter, trustee in bankruptcy of the company.

Jacob Freedman, who was also convicted in the same case, was fined $100 and costs for sentence. A postponement was granted until 9.30 a. m. Monday to allow Atty. H. Vahey, counsel for Freedman, an opportunity to be heard on this matter of sentence.

Lorin Canner, a third defendant in the case, had a stay of sentence granted until May 16 on the request of Assistant United States District Attorney Garland.

MAYOR IS AFTER THE DONOVAN MEN

The flat dictum that friends of James Donovan, late president of the Democratic City Committee, must get out of their berths in the municipal bath department has been submitted to the bath trustees by Mayor Fitzgerald, and Superintendent Joseph F. O'Brien and Miss Mary L. McCord, the executive clerk of the department, are the first special objects of the Mayor's ire.

The penalty for refusal to obey the Mayor's order is dismissal for the trustees. It is understood that a number of the trustees will invite the mayor to follow that course if he chooses to, and that they will not make the dismissals he requires.

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Countess in Disguise at Enchantress's Trial.

VENICE—Disguised as a peasant, the Countess Papadopoli, one of the leaders of Italy's world of fashion, to-day joined the common throng in court to attend the trial of the Countess Tarnowski, accused of plotting her husband's murder. The Countess Papadopoli showed intense interest in the testimony of "the Enchantress," watching her closely every moment. It was not till after the session that the disguised visitor was recognized by other society leaders, though her presence was known to a few.

The trial of the Countess Tarnowski, her maid, Elise Perier, and her admirers, Dr. Naumoff and the lawyer, Pritikoff, who deserted his family and eloped with the Countess after her divorce from her first husband, is absorbing the entire attention of the public. The Countess denies that she had ever received any money from Pritikoff. She always had plenty of her own, so she testified, in her possession, for she was accused of pawning her jewels. Many tender messages to the Countess were read. The Countess said that there had been several attempts to poison her.

Shackleton Sailed To-day.

LONDON—Sir Ernest Shackleton, commander of the expedition that got within 100 miles of the South Pole, left to-day that Lyttelton, New Zealand. He will go direct to Washington, where it is expected he will discuss Antarctic conditions with the managers of the expedition fathered by Engineer Peary. It is reported that Shackleton is preparing for another South Polar trip on a much larger scale, to start in 1911 with new ships.

Charges to Stir Germans.

BERLIN—More scandal like that which overwhelmed the "Knights of the Round Table" is promised by Count von Hertzdorff, who is a member of the Prussian House of Lords and has been a chamberlain to the Emperor.

The Count's wife, a sister of the first Countess von Pfeil, committed suicide at Monte Carlo. Count von Pfeil was tried by the imperial military authorities on the charge that he bribed their servant to swear falsely against his wife when their marriage was dissolved. The military authorities have ordered a new trial for Count von Pfeil on the charge of perjury. So Von Gersdorff will have an opportunity to testify for Von Pfeil and to blurt out the damaging facts he pretends to know.

Frohman Proposes New Theatre.

LONDON—Charles Frohman desires to submit to the London public a scheme for founded the New Theatre and thereby gave to New York a distinctive theatrical enterprise such as no other city in the world can boast. Mr. Frohman's suggestion is simply this: That if the gentlemen who have the necessary capital will build a Central Park West will build a house suited for the purpose on the East Side, he will furnish to all that section of New York the best drama that the dramatic fare at present entirely beyond the means of the great majority of its population.

Thousand Decorate '48 Graves.

BERLIN—The customary pilgrimage to the little cemetery in the Friedrichshain of the revolution of 1848 lie outside all previous records in numbers attending. Thousands passed through the gates. Socialist and anarchist societies sent deputations, all bringing wreaths. One wreath with a dedicatory inscription was placed in the cemetery on behalf of the German Socialists in America. About sixty inscriptions were confiscated but no penalty was placed on the bearers, with the exception of one anarchist.

Rockefeller Unknown to Mail Men

BERLIN—A schoolgirl having heard that John D. Rockefeller was the most generous of men, wrote several letters to him, asking money to buy silk dresses and begging for a few thousand dollars that she might marry. Remarkable to tell, her letters were returned to her one day this week. They were addressed: "Missing address," "unsolicited," or to that effect. "I thought Mr. Rockefeller was better known in America," said the girl, when she married since she wrote to the oil magnate.

Fifty Lost on Ice Floe.

ST. PETERSBURG—Fifty fishermen who were working on the ice off the shore of Peterhof may have been lost. They were on an ice floe with horses and carts. A strong wind detached the floe, and it was carried to the Gulf of Finland.

Japs Restrict Land Rights.

TOKIO—The lower house of the Diet passed the land bill providing that a foreigner cannot own land in Japan unless he is a native of a country which permits Japanese to own their own land within its boundaries.

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WANTED—Lady clarinet, saxophone, flute, bass players; highest salary to capable; always write particulars. KENWOOD LADIES' BAND (Orchestra), 723 Main st., Buffalo, N. Y.

ROOSEVELT IN HURRIED PLAN FOR EUROPE

By A. J. LAMBERT.

Special correspondent of the Boston American with the Roosevelt party.

Special Cable to Boston American.

HALFA, EGYPT, ON BOARD THE ROOSEVELT SPECIAL TRAIN, March 19.—To-day is one of almost complete relaxation from the strenuosity of the preceding day.

In perfect comfort the Roosevelt party traversed the 475 miles of desert railway, which Kitchener built at the rate of a mile a day. This railroad was the real conquest of the destruction of the Mahdists. Captain Midwinter, the director of the Soudanese railways, who was his real head during construction, told the story of the building of the railroad, Roosevelt listening and at the same time interrogating Sir William Garstin, whose knowledge of Egyptian irrigation is extensive, writing his letters, preparing his address, in German, which is to be delivered at the Berlin University on May, and arranging the details of his itinerary. He finds now that by leaving Egypt on March 30 and pushing vigorously ahead he will be able to reach Berlin promptly on time, and by further vigorous travel reach London on May 10.

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POLICE SHOOT DARING CROOK

NEW YORK, March 19.—While two detectives, one on the roof and the other in the rear court, watched the big apartment house, at Nos. 1222-1234 Boston Post road for a burglar early to-day, the robber slipped out of a vacant apartment on the second floor, climbed slowly up the fire escape and was ready to begin operations when one of the detectives saw him.

The robber continued on his way to the roof, sneaked past the detective in wait for him there, dived through a scuttle, ran down the stairs to the street, and reaching Boston road outstripped the men who attempted to follow him.

In making his escape the burglar was forced to leave behind him a fur collared overcoat, silk hat, cane and a pair of tan gawn-colored gloves. The police are positive that he is the "gentleman burglar" who has been operating in the Bronx for months.

CORESPONDENT MUST PAY DIVORCE FEES

NEW YORK, March 19.—An unusual order, in that it directs the correspondent in a divorce case to pay the costs of court and the counsel fees of the petitioner, has been made by New Chancellor Magie in his decision, granting a divorce to George W. Clark, of Plainfield, N. J. George E. Flannery, also of Plainfield, is the co-respondent against whom the order is made. The two men were partners of the same lodge and both families are well to do.

PRINCETON STUDENTS MAKE HIT IN SHOW

PRINCETON, N. J., March 19.—The Triangle Club of Princeton University gave its first performance of "His Honor the Sultan," this season's musical comedy, before the Princeton invited guests. The play was well received, the songs making a distinct hit. The Triangle Club will give the play in the ballroom of the Hotel Astor, New York, on the afternoon and evening of April 9.

ARBITRATION IS ACCEPTED.

CHICAGO, March 19.—Officials of railroads and the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen met to-day and ratified the decision of the State Board of Arbitration which granted the switchmen involved in the wage controversy with employers an increase of five cents an hour. This means an aggregate increase of from $530,000 to $575,000 a year.

LE BLANC GIRL REPEATS GLOVER DEATH THREATS

New interest in the Glover case to-day centres in the startling testimony of Irene Le Blanc, sister of Hattie Le Blanc, who is accused of killing the Waltham laundryman, that Clarence F. Glover's widow told her that if it was shown that Hattie killed him she would take the Le Blanc sisters into her home to live with her.

Irene Le Blanc also has sworn that Mrs. Glover expressed herself as pleased with Glover's death. She said, according to the little French girl, that if Hattie killed him it was good enough for him, and that if someone else had done the killing it was even better.

"She said she would be free," testified the girl.

Irene Le Blanc's testimony was replete with contradictions of the story of the events following the killing told by Mrs. Glover. It indicated that the widow felt complete satisfaction with the removal of her husband.

It is such testimony as this that Mrs. Glover's lawyer has fought hard to have excluded, making the argument that such information should be given the District Attorney rather than introduced into a public probate hearing.

Hattie Le Blanc is soon to be a witness, and in the time for her appearance approaches the attendants at the hearing the waiting in silence. Everything suggests for her narrative of what transpired during the three days after Glover was killed in which she was hidden in the Glover home.

HARVARD CLUBS IN WRANGLE

The disbanding of the Polo Club, one of the leading social organizations at Harvard, is a probable result of the row which marked the dinner of the class of 1913 at the American House. Not only will the Polo Club, which is an exclusively freshmen's institution, but some of the other clubs as well, may go out of existence in consequence of the discussion now agitating Harvard.

Investigation made by the class authorities has shown that only about fifteen members were participant in the disorder, although there were more than 300 in the dining hall.

The Polo Club, to which all or nearly all of the fifteen disturbers are said to belong, is not an association of polo players, but is primarily in its title.

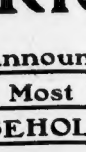
"The AMERICAN has the evening 'home' field in Boston exclusively."—Advertisers' Magazine.

EMPLOYERS CONCEDE PAINTERS' INCREASE

Several large firms have agreed to pay the $29 weekly minimum wage demanded by the men's union for house painters and $22.50 for decorators after April 1, according to officers of Painters' Union 11. The house painters now get 41 cents an hour and decorators 46 cents. No change is desired in the hours of labor, the men at present being on a forty-four hour week. About 1,150 men will be affected by the demands of the union.

Special Notice.

A FREE GIFT.—Every man or woman reads this book. This People's Common Sense Medical Adviser is full of information on the questions and problems which confront every one of us—single or married persons. It is the text book to have in the house in case of emergency. Treats of Anatomy, Physiology, Hygiene, Mother and Baby. A new, fully revised, up-to-date edition, of 1008 pages, with engravings and colored plates, bound in cloth, is sent absolutely FREE on receipt of stamps to pay expense of wrapping and mailing only. Send 21 one-cent stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, No. 663 Washington St., Buffalo, N. Y.



ACCUSED OF ATTEMPT TO ROB CHINAMAN

Mayland Haynes of No. 762 Shawmut avenue, was arraigned in the Roxbury Court charged with assault and battery with intent to rob. He pleaded not guilty and was held until Tuesday, March 24, in default of $2,000 bonds. Haynes went into the laundry shop of Wing Lee, No. 60 Rugeley street, Roxbury, last night, and, it is charged, assaulted him with the leg of a chair inflicting three severe scalp wounds.

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Good Bye Wrinkles

BEAUTIFUL BUST

SUPERFLUOUS HAIR VANISHES LIKE MAGIC BY NEW TREATMENT

Let this woman send you free, full particulars, follow her instructions, then if you are pleased, recommend her wonderful method to your friends.

SHE LOOKS LIKE A GIRL OF 18

This clever woman has not a wrinkle upon her face, she has banished every furrow, simple, easy, which brought a wonderful change in her face in a single night. For removing wrinkles and developing the bust, her method is truly wonderful; rapid. She in fact becomes famous as the most expert beauty culturist in the world.

Indeed she has made herself the woman she is today and brought about the wonderful change in her appearance by her own method, which is so easy, simple and economical that no girl or woman can afford to be ugly or old. She turned her scrawny figure into a beautiful bust and well-developed form.

You can imagine her joy, when, by her own simple treatment, she removed every wrinkle from her face and developed her thin neck and form to beautiful proportions.

Nothing is taken into the stomach, no meals or dieting, no exercising, massage, electricity or cosmetics in consequence of the discussion now agitating Harvard.

By her remarkable process, she removes wrinkles, hollow cheeks, flat bust, thin arms and legs.

Miss Cuninghame, in an interview, admitted that wonderful results from her method, and she said she was trying to do a great good by unselfishly offering to mankind the secret of beautiful girls and women. It is said that this new treatment is the only one that will positively remove superfluous hair in a single night from face and wrinkles are removed from the face and that beautiful proportions to the bust are developed in 30 days.

It is simply astonishing the hundreds of women who write us regarding the wonderful results from this new beauty treatment, which is beautifying the form and face of women who have failed in all other methods failed. Hundreds of women report that they have gained as much as 10 inches in bust measurement in a few weeks of using the wonderful method. A description of such remarkable success as this received the other day from Mrs. Hanson, of Ft. Pulaski writes in that nearly every wrinkle left her face in two weeks and her bust developed by this treatment. Jennie Cook writes in that the result of using the wonderful method for 30 days was simply marvelous and developed her bust to perfect proportions. Mrs. Mary Merrill writes in regard to the wonderful results from the use of her method. Mrs. Mary Merrill writes in regard to the wonderful results from the use of her method. Mrs. Hanson writes, her bust is beautifully developed, her face is free from wrinkles and her whole figure has become perfect. Miss Sarah Madison Cunningham is sending to the thousands of women to whom she is writing to womankind, as it makes known her remarkable method for beautifying the form and face in an attractive manner.

Every woman should write her at once and she will send you absolutely free, particulars regarding her method. Her address is Miss Cuninghame, Dept. 2000, 1133 Broadway, New York City. Write her at once; how to develop the bust; how to remove wrinkles; how to remove hair and eyebrows; how to instantly remove superfluous hair; how to remove blackheads, pimples and freckles; how to remove dark circles under the eyes; how to develop the neck and arms; how to build up sunken cheeks; how to develop a beautiful form and face. Her wonderful method is sent free to those who write for it. Simply address your letter to Evelyn Cuninghame, Dept. 2000, 1133 Broadway, New York City, and don't send any money, because particulars are free. Her method is so wonderful that she is willing to present gifts or coupons to those who write for it. Her method is so wonderful that she is willing to present gifts or coupons to those who write for it. Her method is so wonderful that she is willing to present gifts or coupons to those who write for it.

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TWO FAMILIES SAVED FROM FIRE BY CAT

The crying of a pet cat probably saved two families from death in a fire in the two and one-half story building No. 76 Weld Hill street, Forest Hills. John Smith, who occupies the second floor, was awakened by the crying of the cat and discovered the house was in flames. He aroused the other members of his family and fled to the street, while John M. Brannies, who lives on the first floor, was also forced to flee.

TREASURERS REBEL AGAINST STEVENS

Because State Treasurer Stevens has required the endorsement of checks by mayors and selectmen as well as by city and town treasurers, Treasurer Willard of Waltham, has retaliated by having printed new checks upon which the endorsement of the Governor as well as that of the State Treasurer is required. The order of the State Treasurer made a number of local treasurers angry, but Mr. Willard is the first to put his feelings into official form.

$125,000 FIRE IN PITTSBURG FACTORY

PITTSBURG, March 19.—The most disastrous fire in the history of the Millvale district started early today in the Standard Box and Lumber Company's factory. It consumed the factory, six dwellings adjoining and caused $125,000 damages. The fire is supposed to be of incendiary origin.

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OLD CUP DEFENDER TO BE DISMANTLED

The old Volunteer, defender of the America's cup against the Thistle in 1887, and the last of the famous Burgess trio of Boston cup defenders, is to be dismantled. The hull, spars and some of the fittings will be removed and her owners, Captain Charlie Barr, will sell the hull for service as a houseboat. The work of dismantling the famous craft will be begun at South Brooklyn next week.

TEACH CHILDREN IN SCHOOLS HOW TO EAT

CLEVELAND, March 19.—Believing that proper mastication of food has become a lost art, members of the National Dental Society, in a meeting here, launched a country-wide movement to teach the children of the public schools how to chew. The plan is to have each child's mouth examined, teeth treated, if necessary, and instructions given in the proper manner of using the jaws.

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For the coming week we have prepared **Two Great Basement Store Sales**—one of **Millinery**, the other of **Women's Wearing Apparel**—and also **unmatchable bargains in all of the other departments**, only a few of which can be told of here.

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75c Shepherd Checks
Black and white shepherd checks, 54 inch goods, in the most wanted size checks. Basement Store Price **49c**

1.00 French Vigoureux
All wool, light weight fabric, 42 inches wide, in fine range of street colors. Basement Store Price **59c**

1.00 Black Panama
A strictly all wool popular fabric, 50 inches wide. Basement Store Price **59c**

75c Black Mohairs
Fancy black mohairs, 44 to 50 inches wide, in a variety of shadow stripes. Basement Store Price **49c**

Embroideries

50c and 75c Flouncing
10 to 18 inches wide, in solid and open effects, all new designs. A yard, Basement Store Price **37½c**

33c and 45c Bands
Applique bands and galloons, 2 to 4 inches wide. A yard, Basement Store Price **19c**

15c and 20c Insertions and Edgings
Cambric and lawn, including edges 1 to 10 inches wide. A yard, Basement Store Price **10c**

Linens

1.50 Napkins
All pure linen napkins, size 19 inches. A dozen Basement Store Price **1.25**

12½c Towels
Hemmed or hemstitched huckaback towels. Basement Store Price **10c**

1.00 Scarfs
Beautiful renaissance scarfs, size 18 by 54 inches. Basement Store Price **79c**

Special Pre-Easter Sale of
Women's and Children's Millinery

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NEW SPRING TRIMMED HATS---NEW SPRING UNTRIMMED HATS---NEW SPRING FLOWERS
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100 women's trimmed hats in numerous styles, absolutely new and correct. Basement Store Price **5.00**

Women's 6.00 Trimmed Hats
200 women's trimmed hats in the latest spring styles. Basement Store Price **3.49**

2.50 Hats Women's tailored hats of light weight Japanese straw, trimmed with velvet, straw cabochons and quills, a variety of colors. Basement Store Price **1.29**

2.50 Hats 200 women's toques and turbans of fancy hair braid, trimmed with folds and large rosette of soft silk, etc. Basement Store Price **1.25**

75c Ribbons Beautiful patterns in 8-inch Dresden ribbons, with satin stripes; pink, light blue, reseda, violet, mais and white. Basement Store Price **39c**

50c Braids 2,000 pieces fancy rough Italian braids, in black and colors, full 12 yards to the piece. Price for the piece, Basement Store Price **25c**

50c Hats Girls' Japanese braid outing hats, with round or square corners. Basement Store Price **19c**

75c Hats Untrimmed hats for women and misses, in a variety of two-piece shapes, of fancy coarse Japanese braid. Basement Store Price **49c**

3.00 Plumes Black ostrich plumes of very best quality, full 16 inches long. Basement Store Price **2.50**

75c Roses Imported Scotch roses in large bunches of exquisite flowers, buds and foliage. Basement Store Price **38c**

38c Sailors Children's straw banded sailors in navy, burnt and cardinal. Basement Store Price **19c**

1.00 Hats Black chip dress shape hats in a large assortment of up-to-date styles. Basement Store Price **69c**

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50c and 75c Roses Medium size French roses, 3 to the bunch, in assorted pastel colorings; also three-toned effects. Basement Store Price **25c**

50c Aigrettes Large bunches of imported wheat aigrettes in natural color. Basement Store Price **25c**

75c Hats Misses' imported rush braid hats with wide flexible brims; the addition of a scarf makes a choice outing hat. Basement Store Price **38c**

19c Malines A well recommended quality of imported French malines, in both black and colors. Basement Store Price **10c**

29c Ribbons Moire and plain glace ribbons, full 6 inches wide, of extra good quality. Basement Store Price **19c**

Silks

59c Crepe de Chine
All silk with fair color line. Basement Store Price **25c**

85c Foulards
24 inches wide, a limited lot only; with polka spots. Basement Store Price **49c**

85c Satin de Chine
22 inches wide in a good line of colors, fine dress quality. Basement Store Price **59c**

79c Black Taffeta
Rich black, 36 inches wide, black taffeta. Basement Store Price **59c**

Cottons

15c Cases
Bleached pillow cases, size 42x36 inches, 1 and 3-inch hems. Basement Store Price **11c**

10c Cotton
Brown cotton, 36 inches wide. Basement Store Price **7c**

85c Sheets
Heavy bleached cotton, size 81x90 inches, 1 and 3-inch hems. Bargain Store Price **75c**

Laces

25c Laces
Fine val. edges and insertions to match. A dozen yards, Basement Store Price **19c**

50c to 75c Laces
White and ecru spotted nets and striped effects, 18 to 42 inches wide. A yard, Basement Store Price **29c**

50c to 75c Laces
White and ecru Venise bands, also black silk bands and edges. A yard, Basement Store Price **25c**

Art Embroidery

39c Pillow Tops
25 designs in fine tapestry pillow tops, extra large size, tassel trimmed. Basement Store Price **25c**

1.50 Stamped Waistings
Crepe waistings containing 3 yds. of material, in good assortment of designs. Basement Store Price **62½c**

50c Floss Pillows
50 doz. hand-picked floss pillows, size 22x22. Basement Store Price **39c**

Linings

25c Sateen Stripe
36 inches wide, appropriate for skirt and coat lining. Basement Store Price **12½c**

1.00 Guaranteed Lining
36 inches wide, guaranteed lining satin, in full line of colors. Basement Store Price **69c**

49c Foundation Silk
Black, white and all the dainty shades. Basement Store Price **39c**

Jewelry

1.00 Pin Sets
Hard enamel pin sets, jabots and cuff pins, in assorted colors. Basement Store Price **50c**

1.00 Cuff Links
Gold shirt waist cuff links set with colored stones. Basement Store Price **50c**

75c Barrettes
Inlaid with gold and rhinestones, in a variety of designs. Basement Store Price **50c**

Smallwares

25c Supporters
Pad hose supporters. Basement Store Price **18c**

20c Nets
Allover hair nets. Basement Store Price **14c**

10c Collars
Net covered foundation collars. Basement Store Price **5c**

Silverware

2.50 Orange Knives
Silver plated with new patent peeler. A doz. Basement Store Price **1.50**

2.00 Casters
3 bottle individual salt and pepper casters, best quadruple plate. Basement Store Price **1.00**

4.00 Water Pitchers
Quadruple plated open water pitchers, in plain burnished patterns. Basement Store Price **2.00**

Buttons

10c Buttons
2 and 4 hole, 16 to 22 line pearl. A dozen. Basement Store Price **5c**

39c Buttons
Self-shank, 28-line pearl buttons. A dozen. Basement Store Price **25c**

19c Buttons
Self-shank gilt buttons. A dozen. Basement Store Price **10c**

Veilings

1.00 Veils
Of white lace with border. Basement Store Price **45c**

1.00 Veils
Plain spotted mesh veilings, every shade. Basement Store Price **50c**

50c Veils
Chiffon veiling in all colors. A yard. Basement Store Price **22c**

Bedding

3.50 Blankets
Wool blankets for full size bed, 11x4, pink and blue borders. Basement Store Price **2.50**

1.25 Puffs
Silkoline covered, suitable for full size bed. Basement Store Price **98c**

1.75 Spreads
Marseilles pattern—cut corners with fringe. Basement Store Price **1.29**

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Imported, including figures, dots and checks, suitable for Spring wear. Basement Store Price **25c**

1.25 English Longcloth
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12½c Duck
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Neckwear

25c Jabots
Lace trimmed jabots. Basement Store Price **12½c**

25c Ties
Four-in-hand ties, in all the leading shades. Basement Store Price **19c**

15c Tourist Ruching
6 yards in the box. Basement Store Price **11c**

Footwear

Women's 3.00 Boots
Button and blucher boots, Goodyear welted soles, sizes 2½ to 7, widths C, D, E. Basement Store Price **2.15**

1.00 and 1.50 Overgaiters
Tan, gray, green and old rose melton cloth, also tan and white linen overgaiters. Basement Store Price **39c**

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Persian belts with two-piece buckle. Basement Store Price **25c**

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Wash belts with pearl buckle. Basement Store Price..... **12½c**

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XXX cream satin envelopes, 250 in a box, for social and business use. Basement Store Price **25c**

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1.00 to 1.25 Umbrellas
Another lot of men's and women's umbrellas with fancy and plain handles. Basement Store Price **65c**

1.50 Umbrellas
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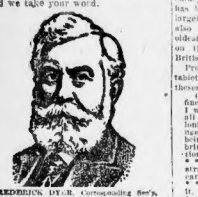

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GOOD NEWS FOR THE DEAF

New York, March 18.—A celebrated New York Aurist has been selected to demonstrate to deaf people that deafness is a disease, and can be cured rapidly and easily in the home.

He proposes to prove this fact by sending to any person having trouble with their ears a trial treatment of this new method, absolutely free. All people who have trouble with their ears are advised immediately to address Dr. Edward Gardner, Suite 463, No. 40 West Thirty-third street, New York City, and they will receive by return mail, absolutely free, a Trial Treatment.

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and be given with perfect safety to the youngest child. If in the best. Buy no substitute. 25c.

NOAH'S STORY OF FLOOD TOLD IN OLD TABLET

Boston and all New England were greatly interested to-day in the ancient section of a tablet that has just been discovered and which has lain hidden for about 4,000 years which corroborates the story of the flood as it is told in the Bible.

This tablet was discovered by Professor H. V. Hilprecht of the University of Pennsylvania, an undoubted authority on ancient languages and ancient sacred history. The importance of the discovery is that it goes to prove the historical accuracy of the Bible story of Noah which has been regarded by biblical skeptics as largely a work of the imagination. It also antedates by about 1,500 years the oldest tablet heretofore discovered bearing on this subject. This tablet is in the British Museum.

Professor Hilprecht has translated his tablet, supplying the words within parentheses from the context:

"(I declare unto thee that the conditions of Heaven I will loosen, a deluge I will make; and it shall sweep away all men together; but then (the Babylonian Noah) seek life before the deluge cometh forth; for to all living beings as many as there are I will bring an (arbor, destruction. * * * * build a great ship and * * * * total height shall be its structure. It shall be a house boat carrying what has been saved of life * * * * with a strong deck cover it. The ship which thou shalt build, bring into it (bring the beasts of the field, the birds of Heaven) and I (will watch and) pitch it within and without with pitch.

"And (the ship) which thou shalt make it of: The length of the ark shall be 300 cubits, the breadth of it fifty cubits, and the height of it thirty cubits.

"A window shalt thou make to the ark, and in a cubit shalt thou finish it above; and the door of the ark shalt thou set in the side thereof; with lower, second and third stories shalt thou make it.

"And, behold, I, even I, do bring a flood of waters upon the earth to destroy all flesh, wherein is the breath of life, from under (heaven; and everything that is in the earth shall die.

"But with thee will I establish my covenant, and thou shalt (enter into the ark, thou and thy sons and thy wife, and thy sons' wives with thee.

"And of every living thing of all flesh, two of every sort shalt thou bring into the ark, to keep them alive with thee; they shall be male and female.

"Of fowls after their kind, and of cattle after their kind, of every creeping thing of the earth after his kind, two of every sort shall come unto thee to keep them alive.

"And take thou unto thee of all food that is eaten, and thou shalt gather it up to thee, and it shall be for food for thee and for them.

"Thus did Noah; according to all that God commanded him, so did he."

The Story From Genesis.

So that readers may see for themselves how Professor Hilprecht's tablet confirms the account in the Bible of the flood, the narrative as it is related in Genesis 6:13-22 is here given:

"And God said unto Noah, the end of all flesh is come before me; for the earth is filled with violence through them, and behold I will destroy them with the earth.

"Make thee an ark of gopher wood; rooms shalt thou make in the ark, and pitch it within and without with pitch.

"And this is the fashion which thou shall make it of: The length of the ark shall be 300 cubits, the breadth of it fifty cubits, and the height of it thirty cubits.

"A window shalt thou make to the ark, and in a cubit shalt thou finish it above; and the door of the ark shalt thou set in the side thereof; with lower, second and third stories shalt thou make it.

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Most Important Discovery.

The discovery of the tablet was announced last night to a company of Professor Hilprecht's friends in Philadelphia. It is said that the finding of this tablet is the most important of all the discoveries as the result of the expedition sent out by the University of Pennsylvania last year. The find is in the form of a section of the tablet which is only 2½ inches at its greatest width and 2¾ inches at its greatest length.

Biblical students regard it as simply amazing that it should exist in the earth for thirteen centuries with remains of nitre, which rolled up the sorrows of mankind. Besides, the clay was in a state of decomposition and experiments with it made without destroying the tablet and losing the precious writing on it.

Professor Hilprecht worked for weeks, several hours a day to decipher the tablet and put the tablet into a state in which it could be deciphered. Then he set to work to translate the writing.

Errors of Translation.

In this, as in the Bible story, the Lord God, the great king of the gods of the ancient Semites, says:

"I will loosen the confines of Heaven. A deluge I will make; I will sweep away all men together."

Here is an error in the translation of the Bible text from Hebrew to English corresponding to the striking similarity between the Nippur story of the deluge and that of the ancient Hebrews.

It is pointed out by Professor Hilprecht that the word which is translated for a few hundred years rendered "window," and which appears in all later versions of the Bible as "window," really meant "roof" in the old Hebrew. Where one Bible says "a window shalt thou make to the ark," it should have read, by correct translation, "a roof shall thou make to the ark."

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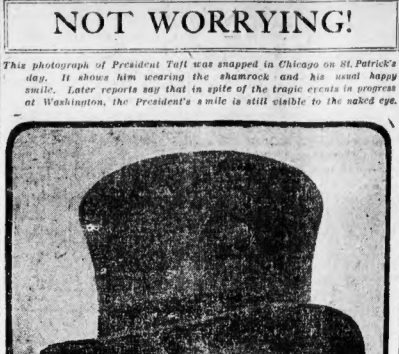
NOT WORRYING!

This photograph of President Taft was snapped in Chicago on St. Patrick's day. It shows him wearing the shamrock and his usual happy smile. Later reports say that in spite of the tragic events in progress at Washington, the President's smile is still visible to the naked eye.



MRS. WILCOX AMAZES MOORS

PARIS, March 18.—Ella Wheeler Wilcox arrived in Paris on Wednesday after a rough passage from London, and accompanied by her husband, Robert Wilcox, she visited most of the smart French colonies.

Mrs. Wilcox was driven out of Biskra by her own popularity. One among her many accomplishments is that of reading palms. She became interested in an old Arab, to whom she explained her knowledge of palmistry. She read his hands, told him how many wives he had, how many children, related events of his life and described his character, greatly to the sheik's amusement.

Evidently he told his friends, for she was mobbed at the hotel and followed by crowds in the streets, all begging her to tell their fortunes. At last she was obliged to flee from the town under cover of night.

"It was ridiculous," she said, "but Biskra is the most beautiful town in the world, and now I can never dare go back there."

ODDITIES in the Day's News

SLEZAK, OPERA TENOR, IN LIFTING CONTESTS

At the temporary Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, where the Metropolitan Opera Company arrives, Leo Slezak, the Polish tenor, who attends the meeting and who is possessed of unusual strength, will engage in a series of weight lifting contests with several strong men. Slezak, the largest man singing grand opera, has been daily exercises with dumbbells and weights. It has been reported in Boston that he has also defeated several professional strong men.

PEARLS WORTH $200 IN OYSTER STEW

NEW YORK, March 19.—An oyster crash has struck Westwood, N. J., and everybody is eating them, because George Perry, of Brooklyn, here to buy a home, stopped in at a restaurant and ordered oysters. He found four pearls worth $200. This news spread and the craze was on. When Perry dissolved the pearls there was a diamond ring in solution, the restaurant proprietor, Hoffman, exhibits them. Perry took them away, having paid for his food.

WOMAN BADLY HURT BY FALL ON STAIRS

The police to-day are trying to ascertain the identity of a woman who lies at the Relief Hospital in an unconscious condition. She is suffering from a fractured skull. Her name is on the dangerous list and she is not expected to recover. The woman fell down a flight of stairs in the house at No. 18 Elliot street, South End. It is said she stepped on her skirt and fell headlong down the stairs. Her head struck the floor, fracturing her skull.

ADDISON THAYER'S CASE IS CONTINUED

Before United States Commissioner Hayes, in the Federal building, to-day, the case of Addison Thayer of Franklin well-known in business and social circles, came up on a continuance. He is charged with sending improper letters to a colored girl in Lynn during the postal frauds. Asst. U. S. Attorney Proch, counsel for Thayer, asked for another continuance until next Saturday, and the request was granted.

SENATOR DANIEL'S CONDITION THE SAME

DAYTONA, Fla., March 19.—At 8 o'clock the physicians of Senator Daniel stated that his condition was unchanged. He has been unconscious for twenty-four hours. Pulse, temperature and kidney conditions are good and he is able to take an adequate amount of nourishment.

RICH ONCE; DIES POOR.

WALTHAM, March 19.—S. E. Ellis, but a few years ago one of the leading business men of this city and rated as worth at least $200,000 at that time, died in abject poverty in a lodging house here, where he had been taken in as a matter of charity.

TEACHER TRIED ON CHARGES IN SCHOOL WAR

CLINTON, March 19.—The accusation that Miss Margaret Tonry, teacher of the third and fourth grades of the High Street Grammar School, was "grown-up" enough to slap Henry Hunnton on his head before the entire school a short time before the boy was fatally stricken with meningitis, has been made to the school committee by Mr. and Mrs. Govan Hamilton, parents of the dead boy.

This is the most serious among many charges against Miss Tonry, which are now being considered by the school committee. This matter was referred to parents who attended a secret hearing last night, include:

Terrorizing the children.
Nagging them.
Marking school papers wrong.
Telling certain children they were not bright.
Frightening children so that they sobbed.
General unfitness to handle children so young.

Not Blamed for Illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, after the hearing, said that they told the committee that Miss Tonry could not be blamed for their boy's illness, but that the boy had complained during his illness of severe pains in his head. They also told the committee that a short time previous to his illness Miss Tonry stood him on his head in the presence of the entire school.

They said that during his illness he appeared to be thoroughly frightened by his teacher and would cry out her name repeatedly.

The hearing last night was before the members of the school committee and Superintendent C. L. Hunt. Twelve witnesses were present. After the hearing the reporters were told on Chairman William H. Dietsman that the committee had received complaints from many of the parents of the children attending the public schools against certain teachers of the schools and that the committee would investigate the charges. The committee refused to give the name of the teacher or of the parents who appeared. The committee said that the parents requested that the matter be kept secret for the present.

But the parents who came out from the hearing gave no indication that they wished secrecy. They declared that, while they did not wish to injure Miss Tonry, they thought she should be relieved from care of small young children.

Await Board's Decision.

Among the parents present besides Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton were Mr. and Mrs. William Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Corse, Mrs. Lee Anderson, Frank Bullard and Thomas Somerville.

Formal complaint had been made by parents through William B. Fearns of the committee.

At the hearing some of the parents claimed that their children had brought home papers which the teacher had marked wrong, also that half of the things marked wrong would be right. Parents seemed to agree that their children were so terrorized sometimes that they were afraid to return to school for the afternoon session.

Miss Tonry has had charge of the child since the beginning of her work.

The only payout is said to have told the committee of going to the school to see Miss Tonry and of being unable to see her. She is said to have told the parents that Hamilton claimed, read the note to the class and made a derisive remark about the child and the child's parents.

The hearing began at 8 to 10 o'clock. All the parents who appeared are agreed that Miss Tonry should be relieved from the consideration, they will take further steps looking to the ousting to-day to see what the committee does.

CHICAGO BIG "DRY" PETITION INVALID

CHICAGO, March 19.—The battle between the "Wets" and "Drys" is declared to have been decided by ballot April 5 reached a spectacular climax to-day. The city clerk's office was brought to a sudden abrupt halt by the "Wets" attacking the validity of the petitions filed by the "Drys" which the "Drys" had made prohibition a municipal issue. Attorneys for the saloon forces argued before the election commissioners that of the 238,000 names only 38,507 were of duly registered voters, and that of the 38,507 there were about 1,200 duplications. The legal requirement to make the petition valid is 31,511 names.

FIREMEN JOIN ENGINEERS' UNION

Despite the alleged statement of Fire Commissioner Whitney forbidding the firemen engineers or assistant engineers of the fire department to join a union, two prominent members of the fire department joined the Stationary Engineers' Union 16. According to President Walton of the union, the union has received scores of applications from firemen and is assisting in the fire department, and the attorney of the union will defend their rights. A committee has been chosen to act in conjunction with Attorney Frederick W. Mansfield to-day in the matter.

SPLENDID VINDALS CHEAP—

Read the wonderful recipes given by Mme. Tetrazzini in the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

SEARCH BOSTON FOR LOST SALESMAN

Friends and the police are searching Boston for Albert E. Kellogg of Brooklyn, a traveling salesman for the B. G. Turner Company, mill supplies, of New York city, who has mysteriously disappeared. Although he was last seen in Buffalo, February 17, it is thought that he may now be in Boston. The police fear that some temporary aberration of mind has overtaken him and that he may not be capable of his usual wide knowledge.

The salesman is twenty-two years of age, tall, and weighs about 160 pounds.

Special Notice.

ASSIST NATURE

A little now and then, with a searching and cleansing yet gentle cathartic, to remove offending matter from the stomach and bowels, to tone up and invigorate the liver and quicken its tardy action, is the way thereby avoid a multitude of diseases.

Of all known agents to accomplish this purpose, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are supreme. Their accumulative effect is to keep the bowels open and regular, and to further constipate. Hence their great popularity with sufferers from habitual constipation, biles and their attendant discomforts.

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VARIETY OF OPINIONS OFFERED IN THE "FORTY IMMORTALS" CONTEST

THERE seems to be a great variety of opinions as to the forty Boston men most worthy of places in the Hall of Fame, if we ever have one.

The BOSTON AMERICAN offers prizes consisting of a first prize of $10, a second prize of $5 and five prizes of $1 each, for the best lists.

Can you name Boston's FORTY IMMORTALS—live ones?

The State Street Trust Company of this city has issued a very handsome brochure giving a list of Forty Immortals—men of the past whose achievements would entitle them to places in Boston's Hall of Fame—if Boston supposed we have such a temple.

$20 in Cash Prizes.

Dead men are not nearly as good as live ones, so everybody knows, and while the AMERICAN has no fault to find with the list prepared by the State Street Trust Company, this newspaper is much more interested in "live ones." For that reason readers of the AMERICAN are asked to

submit the names of men now living in Boston or the metropolitan district whose achievements entitle them to places in a Hall of Fame that may or may not be built some of these days in this city.

For the best list of forty names the AMERICAN will pay $10. For the next best, $5, and for the next five best lists $1 for each list that will be paid. Send letters to "Live Ones" Editor, the American, 80 Summer street, Boston, Mass.

Some Suggestions.

Following are some of the lists received today:

Getting Scannell's Goat.

"Live Ones" Editor:

I would include in the Hall of Fame:

District-Attorney Pelletier, that is ridding Boston of the taxi knife.

John F. Fitzgerald, advocate of a Bigger, Better and Busier Boston.

Charles Ladd Jr., for turning the light on the New Haven.

Colonel William A. Gaston, for introducing the subway to Watertown.

B. F. Keith, the man that rid Tremont street of the surface cars.

James J. Storrow, who is striving to show what he can accomplish.

Thomas H. Fitzpatrick, associated with a society for a good cause, T. H. F.

L. B. Magrane, ardent believer of a busier city.

Joseph H. O'Neil, too honest to dabble with politics.

President William A. Bancroft, the working man's friend.

Ex-President Charles W. Eliot, his record speaks for itself.

Congressman Joseph O'Connell, champion of a bigger and better navy.

Cyrus Lois A. Mullen, preserver of property and valuables.

Eugene N. Foss, the sugar-report champion.

John F. Taylor, the man with a record.

Judge Henry P. Dewey, one that has to be shown.

Chief Watts, the man in the revolving Boston.

John Sheppard, baseball favorite.

President Charles S. Mellen, the man with a rare set of brains.

Herbert Parker, fossil as an orator.

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, an ideal statesman.

Josiah Quincy, an honest politician.

Roger Sonnabil, of international fame.

Thomas W. Lawson, a financier that takes the public into camera.

Stephen O'Meara, a menace to evil doers.

Martin Lomasney, ruler of the key to the political arena.

Louis Frothingham, an able statesman.

Walter Ballentine, because of his faithfulness in any affairs.

Governor Eben S. Draper, because he was chosen by the voters.

James H. Vahey, a lawyer with a great future.

Lucius Tuttle, a kingpin in railroading.

General Francis Tarbox, famed as a newspaper man.

Vice President Timothy E. Byrnes, king of affable hospitality.

William L. Douglas, the king of the shoe industry.

Bernard J. Rothwell, head of an enterprising organization, Chamber of Commerce.

Jacob A. Sullivan, Finance Commission reformer.

Ex-Mayor Thomas N. Hart, an advocate of faithful service.

Marshall Cummings, leader of an intelligent class of workers.

Assistant General Pass Malone, an enemy to the rules.

JOHN W. BOSWORTH.

Height street, Waltham, Mass.

Chief Watts in Good Company.

"Live Ones" Editor:

In the Hall of Fame I would include:

Most Reverend William H. O'Connell, Catholic Archbishop of Boston.

Father Thomas Gasson, S. J., President of Boston College.

Bishop Charles Prestley, Jewish Church.

Rabbi Charles Fleischer, Unitarian Church.

Ex-President Charles W. Eliot, Harvard.

President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard.

Professor Edward C. Pickering of Harvard.

Professor Percival Lowell of Harvard.

Thomas W. Higginson, writer and historian.

Judge O. W. Holmes, United States Supreme Court.

Henry Cabot Lodge, United States Senator.

Richard Olney, ex-United States Cabinet officer.

Moorfield Storey, lawyer and public speaker.

Robert M. Morse, lawyer and public speaker.

Ex-Attorney-General Herbert Parker, lawyer and public speaker.

Congressman Samuel W. McCall, lawyer and public speaker.

Colonel William A. Bancroft, Boston Elevated Railway.

Lucius Tuttle, Boston & Maine Railroad.

Professor Elihu Thomson, electrical expert.

Dr. Maurice H. Richardson, Massachusetts General Hospital.

Professor John O'Shea, organist.

Henry Russell, Boss Opera House.

Thomas W. Lawson, broker.

B. F. Keith, theater man.

J. Reid Whipple, hotel man.

John L. Sullivan, boxer.

Chief Engineer Maguire, Fire Department.

Deputy Superintendent William A. Watts, Police Department.

Eben D. Jordan.

Thomas H. Fitzpatrick.

A. Sonnabend.

Thomas A. Forsyth gave $2,000,000 Denial Hospital for school children.

Francis W. Hunnewell gave $150,000 fund Children's Hospital.

John F. Fitzgerald, Mayor of Boston.

Curtis Guild, Jr., ex-Governor.

Wilfred L. Douglas, ex-Governor.

John Pitts, ex-Governor.

General Charles Taylor, editor.

James J. Storrow, banker.

Joseph H. O'Neil, banker.

JOHN B. ANDREWS.

45 Parkman street, Dorchester.

Mentions Two Women.

"Live Ones" Editor:

The Forty Immortals of Boston are:

Abbott Lawrence Lowell.	Alexander Pope.
Ostrom Bangs.	Henry M. Whitney.
Percival Lowell.	Maurice H. Richardson.
Darius Cobb.	Reginald Heber Fitz.
William H. O'Connell.	George Fred Williams.

Thomas W. Lawson.	Louise Chandler Moulton.
Edward Wormster.	Portia Greenleaf.
Gen. A. Kelley.	John F. Fitzgerald.
Curtis Guild, Jr.	Morton Prince.
Charles Lloyd Harding, Jr.	Robert Treat Paine, Jr.
Harold Clarence Emst.	Joseph B. O'Connell.
Frederick S. Converse.	Alfred Lawrence Rotch.
Thomas Ignatius Gasson.	Charles Copeland.
Bishop Lawrence.	William Lloyd.
Edward A. Filene.	Frank Gaylor Burgess.
James J. Storrow.	Moorfield Storey.
Arlo Bates.	Robert Grant.
John Ward Dean.	John Davis Long.
James MacKaye.	Bela Lyon Pratt.
Mary Caroline Crawford.	Frederick Josep Stimson.

Give me the prize and make the number forty-one!

JOSEPH F. GOULD,
No. 16 Rutland st., Cambridge.

Chance For John F.

"Live Ones" Editor:

I submit the following forty live ones. Since a selection from any distinct class would be a failure, I have tried to take mine from all walks of life. I hope you will give John F. a chance. Our Mayor, outside of Boston is considered one of our cleverest and most progressive Americans, and a typical Bostonian.

Richard Olney.	Charles W. Eliot.
Bishop Wm. Lawrence.	Archbishop Wm. O'Connell.
A. Sisman.	Ex-Atty-Gen. Herbert Parker.
E. A. Filene.	Ex-Mayor Thomas N. Hart.
Curtis Guild Jr.	Gen. Charles H. Taylor.
John L. Bates.	Rev. Father Peterson.
N. P. Hallowell.	Mayor John F. Fitzgerald.
Thomas Wentworth Higginson.	Thomas W. Lawson.
Bishop Lawrence.	Charles W. Bartlett.
Bishop Mitchell.	Dr. Maurice Richardson.
Prof. Hugo Munsterberg.	Dr. Murray Crane.
Prof. de Sumichrast.	Prof. Whitney of Harvard.
Prof. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard.	Prof. Wm. James.
Herbert Parker.	Samuel W. McCall.
Judge Daniel Bond.	Rev. Alexander Mann.
Rev. Wm. H. Van Allen.	Samuel J. Elder.
Sherman L. Whipple.	William H. Lincoln.
Francis J. Swayne.	Rev. D. Parsons Jordan.
Henry M. Whitney.	Prof. Geo. F. Moore.
Judge Robert Grant.	Judge Walter A. Shaw.

JOSEPH A. JOY.
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Bowles Seems Popular.

"Live Ones" Editor:

Following is a list of forty names:

Thomas Wentworth Higginson.	B. F. Keith.
Charles W. Eliot.	Bishop William Lawrence.
Henry Cabot Lodge, U. S. Senator.	Thomas W. Lawson.
Henry L. Higginson.	Charles Francis Adams.
Curtis Guild, Jr.	Samuel J. Elder.
A. A. Lowell.	Judge Peter O. Lorna.
Louise Imogen Guiney.	George Von L. Meyer. Sec'y Navy.
Charles F. Lawson.	Joseph W. Work.
Samuel W. Lawson.	William A. Bancroft.
John F. Fitzgerald, Mayor.	Thomas Williams.
Simpson.	Samuel W. Mayo.
S. M. Mayo.	Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes.
John D. Jordan.	William H. Lincoln.
Prof. Hugo Munsterberg.	Robert Lowe.
Lewis D. Brandeis.	John G. Long.
Herbert Carson.	Frank H. Hitchcock, P. M. Gen.
Rev. Edward J. Hardy.	Maxwell Riordon, Sr.
Rev. Edward C. Pickering.	Richard Olney.
Archbishop W. H. O'Connell.	Henry M. Whitney.
Dr. Jefferson Coolidge.	Admiral Francis Bowles.

EDWARD A. ASH.
No. 6 Russell Road, W. Somerville, Mass.

Gave Helping Hand.

"Live Ones" Editor:

The following are the names of forty of Boston's most influential and illustrious sons whom I have chosen for places in a Hall of Fame. Having succeeded in their own pursuits, they have always turned to lend a helping hand to their fellow men. They have always been ready with their influence and wealth when occasion demanded. They are a mighty power in the physical, moral, social and religious advancement of Boston and her people. They are a credit and honor to us all.

Archbishop William H. O'Connell.	Morton Prince.
Thomas J. Kenrick.	Edwin D. Mead.
Rabbi Harrison.	Bishop William Lawrence.
Rabbi Charles Fleischer.	Richard Olney.
Eugene N. Foss.	Robert Treat Paine.
Eben D. Jordan.	Fred. J. Stimpson.
John B. Long.	Bernard J. Rothwell.
Samuel J. Elder.	Hugo Munsterberg.
Curtis Guild, Jr.	John L. Bates.
Judge Edgar J. Sherman.	Charles G. Ames.
A. Sisman.	A. Lawrence Lowell.
Jeremiah Abbey.	Charles Ladd.
Bishop Lawrence.	Thomas Wentworth Higginson.
B. F. Keith.	William A. Bancroft.
Lewis D. Brandeis.	Dr. Richard Cabot.
John Shephard.	Samuel A. Green.
Darius Cobb.	Henry Abraham.
Timothy Leary.	Alexander Mann.
Herbert Parker.	Samuel G. Elder.
Herbert Johnson.	Charles Ladd.

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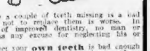

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MANAGER DONOVAN MAY DECIDE TO CUT RED SERIES

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SPEED BOYS MAY CALL OFF THE RED SERIES

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

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By A. H. C. MITCHELL.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 19.—With such strenuous games as the Red Sox and Cincinnatis have had, especially the last one—the question arises, are these teams not overdoing it? Is it wise to allow the players to go at top speed this early in the year? Will they not tire themselves out? Are the players not taking great chances of injuring themselves?

Who Manages, Donovan and Griffith decided to play fifteen straight games, beginning March 16, the arrangement looked all right, but wise observers fear the teams have taken on too big a contract.

Cy Young, the former Boston pitcher, who is a very careful and observing man, believes the teams will make a mistake if they fill out the series.

"It's too much to ask of players at this time of year," declared the veteran today. "And I believe if the managers had foreseen how hard their men would play they would not have arranged so many games. If it had not been for the fact that Donovan and Griffith, I would not allow the teams to meet more than three times a week.

The old gentleman is doubtless right and the managers may yet come to see it in that light, but, up to date, neither one has made a suggestion to cut out any of the games.

The Red Sox are in much better shape than Cincinnati to stand the grind.

Red Sox in Better Shape.

They have four extra infielders, three good catchers, twelve pitchers and an extra outfielder. Donovan can play if he so desires, but Griffith, while he has plenty of pitchers and catchers, is shy of infielders and outfielders.

Griffith runs much greater risk than Donovan. He always was a driver, many of the Red Sox players believe he gives his men altogether too much work as it is. His hours for practice are longer than Donovan's, he would have his men out all the time if he could get away with it, and forget that the Hot Springs baths tend to weaken the players. If they keep on going at top speed in these exhibition games and take their regular baths they themselves as well, many careful observers believe the team will be shot to pieces before the National League season opens.

The battles surely must be hot, when one of the Cincinnati players so far forgets himself as to push the umpire in the face as Beecher did when he claims the official called him out on strikes. It was a perfect strike, as Catcher Stallard of the Red Sox said. Madden's opinion was backed up by Jigger Dunlap, who was right back of the plate when the ball came over. There were two men on bases at the time. Beecher also has been severely up by his record as a base stealer and in the praises Fielder Jones has given him for being thin that he seems to walk in a different manner from the rest of those by the other players. He wanted to bring three runners in, though, when the umpire, a little two by four in size, called him out for so far forgetting himself as to make a rush for the official and push his hands violently against the latter's mask. Beecher was roundly blessed for his action and Manager Griffith promptly told him to leave the field and go back to the bench.

Play Hard to Win.

The incident goes to show that the players are doing their utmost to win. It should be understood that this is not the case always with among the players of the two clubs. There is not the slightest hard feeling, but the desire to win was never so strong that it is neared battles nine in the end do more harm than good.

Manager Donovan says his best pitchers are begging for a chance to go in the box against the Reds. All hands want to play in every game. Sore as some of them are, they don't want to sit on the bench while there is so much going on in the field.

We get the Cincinnati papers here every day, and it is curious to read how the Porktown war correspondents smear on the praises in the papers on the boys' batting practice. He jobs on a ball as big as a balloon and the latter knocks it over the fence. Next morning the Cincinnati papers have built a column about the great battting eye of so and so. The same of things, handed every member of the team, so that in the course of a few days the reader will come to believe they are world beaters.

The Cincinnati papers have also noted for the fulsome praises they hand out during the Spring Training Trips. Last year the Porktown fans have been led to believe that the Reds will get the National League pennant. There is no ball way dubious about it. It is laid on so thick and heavy to such an extent that it has become a joke all over the country. Because of the way Cincinnati club has been known to win more flags in the World's Series than other clubs put together. No other team is given a chance.

The result of it all is that when the team starts out badly the Cincinnati fans desert it and spend their time rooting for the opponents.

Thoney in Bad Shape.

Jack Thoney is receiving the sincere sympathy of his fellow players. Thoney is one of the most popular men on the team and everybody was nothing but glad to see him to regain his old time form. Thoney dislocated his shoulder in practice yesterday, and it is now carrying his arm in a sling. It was a repetition of the accident that befell him three years ago in Toronto before he joined the Rex Sox. Thoney says he will be able to throw a ball in a week, but the Great Cincinnati, who put Thoney's arm back in its socket, shakes his head and fears the player will never be able to do much with it again.

Thoney does not feel the Boston club about $15,000 so by and it has not received much of a fraction of this amount back in exchange. What the club will do with Pitcher Jack Thoney is not known. Manager Donovan will await developments.

TRAINING CAMP NOTES.

Beecher, who assaulted Umpire Cleary yesterday, was once arrested and fined $25 for hitting an official at Dayton, where he used to play. The fans raised the amount and paid the fine for him.

Nills was the hero of the tie game. He made two of the neatest catches ever seen in right field.

Harry says the position is very hard to play at Majestic Park on account of the tall pine trees on the background.

Downey slid his finger stopping a ground ball, but the latter picked it up and the player will not be out of the game.

Our boys are mailing lots of throws to second and the result is the Cincinnatis are getting away with a lot of stolen bases.

Karger was against his old pals when he fired the Reds at the opening of the game. The other fellows expected to fill the backs with his benefit Eddie Joost no transportation and the Reds were forced to fill the box with Bader from the bench most of the time, but they managed to get by four hits in the nine innings.

The Cincinnati players were grieved to learn of the death of Alan Storke, the Harvard student. Storke was expected to report on April 1. His death is a severe blow to the Porktown aggregation.

With the arrival of Tris Speaker, the Red Sand is complete. This is a happy training camp. Speaker is not in condition, but will be hard from now on.

Lord had a swell chance to win the tie game, but he stepped on the ball. Fowler continues to be the comic kid in the field, but has fallen off in batting.

JEFF ACCIDENTALLY BUMPED THE GENT AT THE PICNIC DANCE THAT WAS THE START OF HIS FIRST FIGHT.

Jeffries Won His First Fight at a Picnic---By Tad

DONAHUE GETS RAW DECISION OVER MURPHY

BROCKTON, March 19.—Eddie Murphy, the hard hitting South Boston scrapper, put it all over Young Donahue, the Roxbury lightweight, in Duffy's twelve-round bill contest at the Young Men's Social and Athletic Club, but the decision was awarded to Donahue by Referee Ward.

There was an uproar when Ward announced his verdict and the fans around the ring climbed over the ropes intent on giving him bodily violence and he narrowly escaped from being mobbed by the infuriated friends of the South Boston boxer.

It was a clear case of Murphy being robbed of the award and one of the worst decisions ever handed out in the game and will be a bad blow to the boxing game as the fans were disgusted with such unfair work.

Donahue was a sight when he left the ring. His eyes were closed with the fists pulled up from the mauling he received at the hands of Murphy and in the final round he was about all in and hanging on to stay the limit.

The very worst Murphy could have got was a draw and when the referee failed to give him that much the ragsbiters were stunned.

Battling Walcott won over Joe Kelley in five rounds, the men being listed to fight eight. Kelley was so badly done that the bout was stopped.

Tom Andrews of South Boston put away Young Iealou of this city in five rounds.

JEFF THEN TOOK THE COLORED FELLOW OVER BY THE TREES IN THE PICNIC GROUND AND THEY FOUGHT IT OUT

Life and Battles of Jim Jeffries—No. 3

By TAD.

While working at his trade as a boilermaker Jim Jeffries was steadily accumulating the muscle that was in after years to make him the greatest fighter the world has ever known. With every inch of his body clinched he added to his strength, and with every day of hard work increased the size and power of his muscles. Hand in hand with the development of his muscles went the development of his hands, though Nature had wet endowed him with a pair of mauleys, and good, clean living built upon the foundation of a splendid physique an edifice that, properly cared for, could be withstood by no man.

Jeffries stuck to his trade for several years, and would probably to-day be still wielding the hammer had it not accidentally been discovered that he was a great fighter. This fact was not at once proclaimed to the world, but friends of the future champion thought he would some day amount to a lot in the pugilistic game if he could be induced to embark in it with the same faithfulness that he kept at his trade. He clung to its possibilities had no charms for the big fellow. He was for a moment allowed himself to believe that he was a fighter, and to his great strength and natural cleverness added success.

Well, to get down to the facts of the case, Jeffries' first fight of any account that Jeffries took part in. Here they are:

Jeffries, while working for the boilermakers turned out strong was held at Los Angeles when Jeffries was about twenty years old. He went to the big show, while dancing was bumped into by some other couple. Although the big fellow apologized for any fault on his part, there was an argument, and the upshot of the whole talk was that Jeffries had to fight a negro who was said to be the man Jeffries had to beat. To preserve the proprieties, however, the fight was staged after the crowd has left the park and then get to work.

The ring being done came for him to fight prepd not at all upon the Jim Jeffries knowledge, he gave the fight no thought, and this was not because he knew he had a cinch, for the colored man was a rough-and-tumble fighter of local renown and a man who had defeated a number of good men in the game. To prepare for the fight Jeffries went to the champion to vent on about his business, and when he came back he was greeted by any one who knew as little about real fighting as Jeffries did at that time. He was allowed to look at if one of his trainers happened to be around.

After the last of the women had left and but few of the men were on the grounds, Jeffries and the colored man were told to get ready. An equal number of friends of each man were allowed to see the contest. It was decided that there should be no referee, the only thing being that the men should fight until one of them was knocked out or quit. Seconds were chosen and the fighters told to strip. Jeffries promptly did so, took off his collar and announced himself in readiness for the fray. The colored man had begun to strip, but, with his reputation as a fighter at stake, refused to peel any more clothing than his opponent, and after rolling up their sleeves the men were ready to start. Just as the word was to be given by the timekeeper, chosen by mutual consent, suggested that they wear gloves, and a couple of pairs of driving gloves were found for use on their feet. After these were donned the fight began.

Pugilistic history has the account of a very brief battle and no scrap at the ring side took down the happenings when Jeffries and his colored opponent threw the game of this fellow is lost met in what was the first real fight of the undefeated heavyweight champion of the world. The fight was probably the hardest Jeffries ever had. His opponent was tough, strong and knew more about fighting than the big Fellow. But in the end the fight Jeffries won out. He was cut up, battered and generally used up, but he won, but even when the tide of battle seemed to be all against him he kept pleasantly along, and finally the condition that comes from very long, hard work and good blood told. In the fourteenth round the colored man was announced that their man was beaten, and the fight was over.

Jeffries walked away, wiping the blood from his face, pulled down his sleeves, threw his coat over his arm and smiled to his friends to come along.

This is the story of Jeffries's first battle, told as well as it is possible to tell it after the lapse of time. Jeffries says that that battle began to take up boxing seriously and with the idea of entering the ring, but so as to be able to defend himself should the occasion ever arise again.

(To be Continued).

WOLGAST SAYS MORAN IS EASY

KANSAS CITY, March 19.—But the absence of his manager from Kansas City went to St. Joseph today, "Ad" Wolgast, the new lightweight champion took occasion to take a few remarks.

"I expect to fight early in June," Wolgast said, "and my next fight won't be with Battling Nelson. He's going to be with Gans, and before Tom Mc-Carey's club in Los Angeles. Nelson wants another go with me, but he'd better let bad enough alone. He's better jobs down to that new Mexico ranch of his, kidding himself that the reason he lost was because he was out of shape. I'll show Nelson. He won't have such a good alibi next time I whip him.

"When I say Moran is of the running, which will be a cinch for me. I'll give some of the other boys a chance."

NATICK HORSE GOES TO N. Y.

Lookout Farm, Natick, has made arrangements with M. J. Whitney, of Hamilton, N. Y., to place the stallion, The Lookout, brother to Bingen (2.06½), in the stable to be kept in New York farm.

In placing this stallion there Lookout Farm has not weakened their own farm as they have in the young stallion, Golden Rod, another full brother to Bingen, a horse worthy to take the place of either stallion.

While they are not yet old enough to have publicly demonstrated their worth as the get of Golden Result are a very likely lot of youngsters, and promise to add new credit to their family.

HORSE NOTES WINTER CHAT

Francis Parkee of Bedford has a fine colt by Audito (2.07½), out of Wiry Bird (2.15½), the dam of Cadero (2.09¾).

Evangeline Rex (2.19¼), owned by Leo de Rosche of Manchester, is the champion snow horse in New Hampshire.

Fred Clarke, the Providence trainer, expects to get to the races with quite a stable. Besides Grattan Boy and Barma Girl, he has a lot of well-bred youngsters.

Red Elm (2.16½), the half-brother of Audubon Boy and Royal R. Sheldon, who was his record mate when a horses years old, is pacing quarters in 35 seconds on the string on his Vermont.

The racing on the Charles River Speedway is to be made more interesting for the spectators this Spring. Dates at the seven meets to be done my with. Any race are to be run off on schedule time.

Drumwold is getting back into the running, having two fine colts training for public service. The Peer (2.15¾), and Drumwold Rumsey, the latter is a good looking four-year-old by McKinney (2.11¾), out of Daisy Dudley (2.13¼).

Fred Garmon, president of the Metropolitan Driving Club, has bought Forest Bingen for racing on the Charles River Speedway.

C. O. Montgomery of Camden, Me., has what he believed to be the making of a high class horse in the four-year-old filly Bingen Be Sure, by Bingen, out of Bessie Be Sure, 2.16¾.

There is a strong demand among horsemen in the East for the opening of a greater number of early closing trotting and pacing stakes upon the half-mile tracks. These popular races of one day's duration are well within their rights in asking for the establishment of these events.

Billy Croft, of the Fellsway Driving Club, thinks the organization is in need of another driver or two for the interclub races, and is contemplating a trip down to Maine with the "Doc." King to look for something good with a brush. Nothing in the Pine Tree State should escape the vigilant eyes of these boys.

BOWLING ALLEY GOSSIP

Dutch Poehler is rapidly getting back to his old time form. The other day at the Somerset he rolled 1,094, for two strings and then rolled 146 to show he had not gone stale.

Oh, you Bloody Dan! What made you roll over 320 the last time? See if you can do it again.

Joe Spillane certainly had tough breaks on the other night. Better try a new ball, Joe.

Mariel is there with bells on when he rolls for Chelsea Square. We do not see his average in the papers, but it must be up in the 100's. Galway and Poehler roll on the same team.

Halifax of Adams Square hit the pins hot, the other night, with a total of 378, which is four over the world's record. Halifax' single string is the only record in competition, Jack Taylor held the record for five years with 181.

Mark Gill, that splash ball of yours is a wonder. You are batting Christopher to a frazzle every game you roll.

It was certainly some bowling that Noll & Co. gave the Bells team. The Saddle team is one hard crowd to beat on their own alleys, and they should be higher up in the standing than they are.

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Boxing News in Brief Form

This Leo Houck from Philadelphia would be a good boy to match with one of our fans. He has been mowing them all down in and around Philadelphia.

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The card at the Armory for next Tuesday night promises to be a corker. Three of the bouts will be of the rough stuff and the fourth will be about as fast a contest from a scientific standpoint as could be secured in the boxing line. Jack Dillon of Beth O'Keefe and Brunson are high class boxers and they are popular in this city. There is big interest in the outcome, as opinions are divided, and a rattling good bout is the result.

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Tommy O'Keefe is due in town Sunday. He will work out in the Armory A. A. gym on Sunday afternoon from 2 to 4. This is the first time for the pleasure of the fistic enthusiast and their friends who would like to see a boxer get through his gym work.

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Frank Picato, the Los Angeles Italian, who arrived in Boston this week, is a husky looking gent. He recently defeated Joe Deshler and Freddie Corbett at New Orleans. He also gave a pretty good account himself in Los Angeles, where he met Ad Wolgast and George Memsic. His manager, Hawkins Kelly, is ready to send him against the best lightweights in the East.

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That Max Landy-Young Dyson bout at the Armory A. A. next Tuesday night should be the real thing. Both boys are 300 hitters. It is listed for eight rounds, and while it may look like one of those short and sweet affairs, through Landy having been slipping there over with great regularity, yet Mr. Dyson is some slipper himself.

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Oh where, oh where, is Jimmy Gardner? He has been good enough to tackle anything that walks up to 158 pounds. Still he can't get a match. There are plenty of boys in the game that Jimmy could tackle and he ought to keep himself busy.

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They say that Jim Flynn, the Pueblo fireman, woke up St. Patrick's day feeling like a peacock. During the afternoon he met a gent named Samuel Langford. And Ol, such a headache.

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Jack Twin Sullivan is taking a much needed rest. Jack says he will be ready to take on the best of them.

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Matty Baldwin did not do so well against Dick Hyland as the dopesters expected he would. They had Matty picked to win by a juicy margin.

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If Oscar Martin is as good as his big brother Jeff there will be a fine bout. Jeff will have to step some to win next Tuesday night. Terry says Martin is a better man than he was when he first showed here. Tom Sullivan, the big lightweight from Lynn street is deeply interested in Eddie, while Manchester and Lowell fans are all wrapped up in Dick.

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Porky Flynn has been matched to meet Big Jim Savage at the National Club of New York April 4.

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Billy Nixon of Cambridge has been laying on with a heavy hand of late, so they say. He will be ready any time now to lean Kid Graves' pugilistic ear for him.

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Wolgast hasn't yet answered the challenge of New York dopesters.

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Joe Wilson seems to be getting up on all his spare time to admiring the crown he copped from Nelson, and little things like that are liable to interfere with a boxer's form. The chances are that he will not be ready to finish Lavigne before the end of a story of easy cold to be harvested first.

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Bat Nelson was given a great reception on his return home from his Waterloo. Although Battling has been in bad form of late he still has the punch and the old time fighting spirit. He will be ready to step into the ring with Ad Wolgast and will try to prove this soon.

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Eddie Carr's performance the other night was as well liked in New York that he will probably get another chance to show there. He will be back in two weeks. His manager, Joe McCarthy, says that Carr is especially anxious to meet K. O. Brown, and that if he had that week's training there would have been no need of a decision in the bout.

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Sam Harris of the Eureka A. C., Baltimore, has offered to stage the Cross-Brown bout, on which the boys are to wager a heap of coin. He will put up $1,000 a side and will be ready to accept it. There will be nothing doing in Baltimore on a percentage basis though.

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NEWPORT RESERVES TACKLE WHITE SOX

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TAD TELLS HOW JEFFRIES WON HIS FIRST FIGHT

Mutt Decides to Go Home [illegible] Family—By "Bud" Fisher

JEFF, I HAVE TO GO HOME AND FACE MY SQUAW AFTER BEING AWAY FOUR MONTHS AND I WANT YOU TO HELP ME OUT
I HAVE TO FACE IT SOME TIME ANYWAY SO I MIGHT AS WELL GET IT OVER WITH
YUP!
NOW, THERE'S MY HOUSE, YOU GO IN AND SAY:- "MADAME, I KNOW WHERE TO FIND YOUR HUSBAND AND IF YOU'LL FORGIVE HIM, I'LL BRING HIM HOME."
GOIN, I'LL WAIT HERE FOR YOU AND IF IT'S O-K- YOU COME OUT AND SAY "FAVORABLE" AND IF IT'S BAD, SAY-"UNFAVORABLE AND I'LL BEAT IT!
I DON'T HEAR ANY ROUGH HOUSE, I GUESS IT'S FAVORABLE
UNFAVORABLE!

CUSHING HAS STRONG TEAM IN THE FIELD

LEOMINSTER, March 19.—The outlook for baseball at Cushing Academy is exceptionally good this season, although Flaherty, Mulcahy, Hershy and Mayo, four star players, were lost by graduation. There are fifty-five candidates at work in the gymnasium, including Hill c, Callahan 2b, Lowney ss, Gallagher lf, Mardinger rf.

Joseph A. Callahan of Bridgewater, has been elected captain. He played in excellent game at second base last year and was second in batting, with an average of .376. He is one of the best infielders ever at the academy. Manager Vandreuil of Worcester has arranged this strong schedule:

April 23—Holy Cross second at Ashburnham.
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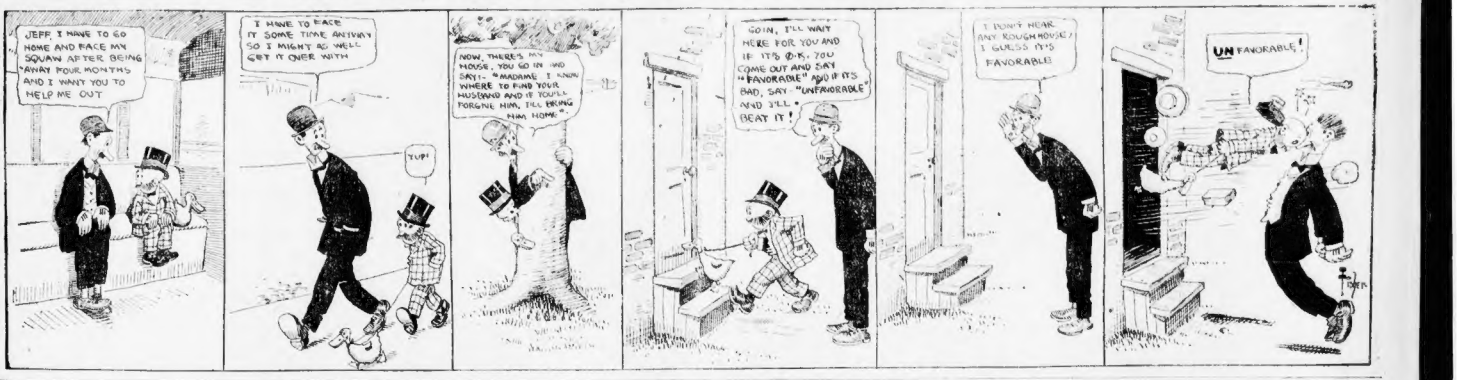
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"Lot of ground, 105 by 190, on north side of Market street, forty-three feet west of Thirty-ninth street, bought by Jack O'Brien, from P. F. Keenan, trustee of the McCann estate, for $32,500, subject to reasonable annual ground rent of $150. Will build large sporting club."

LITTLE M'KINNON TO CHEER PAPA ON

Bill McKinnon, the Roxbury middle-weight, who has been in hard luck lately, his house being robbed and he being sit in the lack of ice week with a big plank, says that his son has surely passed. Last night a seven-pound boy became a member of the clan on faculty. Bill is still laid up by the accident of a week ago with a nervous shock, and it will be some time before he will get around to his old form.

SULLIVANS HOLD OFFICE.

Marlave's Outing Club was organized last night with the following list of officers: John Carciello, president; Jack Twin Sullivan, vice-president; Alock Sullivan, secretary, Charles Donovan, recording-secretary, and Mike Twin Sullivan, treasurer. They will play ball the coming season and intend organizing a bowling team in the Fall.

YOUR EASTER SUIT WILL BE READY—

Several new customers seemed to be afraid that we wouldn't have their clothes all ready for Easter. Our regular patrons know that we always have everything ready on time—as promised.

You see, we have been 18 years in business and have built up a system of designing, cutting, making, fitting and finishing our goods that not only cuts out all unsatisfactoriness in cost, but enables us to follow a schedule as exact as a good railroad.

You keep your appointment with us for the fitting and you can depend upon us to be on time with the finished clothes when you call for them.

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Concerning Mr. Cannon's recent words, so heavy with significance, "If Mr. La Follette and Mr. Cummings are Republicans, then I am not," Mr. Lewis makes this disquieting declaration and prophecy: "They had been talked over and consented to by every trust in the land. They promise new parties, new issues, new lines. The war will be Income Tax against Tariff, Man against Money, West against East."

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BOSTON AMERICANS DOUBLE

Brace Up and You'll Win in Life's Battle

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

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If you are discouraged and blue and life looks hard and the future hopeless today, do not grow cowardly and think of self-destruction as the door of escape. *You did not make yourself. You cannot unmake yourself.*

By no process of reasoning can you explain this wonderful marvel of the life principle within you. Science has found all the ingredients which compose an egg absolutely, and an egg which resembles the hen's product can be manufactured.

But it will not produce life.

Nothing can produce life but that unnamable mysterious Power back of the universe. Created beings carry on the life principle through succeeding generations and centuries, but its production and creation remain God's secret.

Death Shifts Scene of Action

All that death does is to shift the scene of action to another form and plane.

If you are miserable and unhappy you do not become happy by going to another town or State. You carry your wretchedness with you.

It is precisely the same when you rush out of the body by your own act. If you are called out of the body by the same Power that brought you into the world, then it is safe to suppose that conditions are ready for you to start anew in another plane.

Wait for that call.

The actor who rushes upon the stage before his cue is given spoils the play and ruins his own chances for glory.

Keep behind the earthly scenes until you hear the call. Meanwhile think well of your lines and be ready to do your best when called.

However discouraged you may be, thousands of successful and happy people in the world today have been just as discouraged and unhappy as you are at some time in their lives.

Health Within Your Control

No matter what your troubles are today, a year may scatter them and leave you with new hope and new interests in life.

If you are an invalid a year may restore your strength.

This is a wonderful age, and people are beginning to realize that health is greatly within one's own control.

Simple food, well masticated, as little meat as possible, much water, continual deep breathing to feed the body with pure oxygen, and continued assertions of health and strength, from the source of all energy, will restore three fourths of all the invalids on earth, with no aid of medical skill. In two or three months, or even weeks, diet of raw vegetables, or milk and eggs, would restore half of the remainder, if coupled with the right mental attitude and exercise.

The day is nearing when sickness will seem disgrace or lack of brain.

Rest—and Then Brace Up

If you have no money and no employment, make up your mind that both are coming to you. If starvation seems imminent, go to the nearest house in the country and tell your condition. Not one door in one hundred will shut you out before knowing a saving need. If you see in a city the blessed Salvation Army will help you and will tell you of places to find shelter until you can look about and gain courage for a fresh start.

After you have rested for a day, brace up morally and mentally and declare that you are going to make a new start, and that the way will open, must open and has already opened to you for a new life.

TO-DAY'S BEST STORY

SHERIDAN.

It was in the surgeon's reception room and the little man near the door, who had been waiting for a half hour or more, began to get fidgety.

"I can't wait here all day," he growled.

"Waiting for an operation?" the man next to him sympathetically inquired.

"No," snapped the little man. "I'm one little old sweet, bleeding mouse in a pink, sunshiny and something happened right out of the sky that put out the light of the blue eyes and the sunbonnet forever and no other mouse would do, why then it's just a quiet, subdued mood of fate.

It's the mood that sets the feet of the lover of plains and hills down in a path that runs a life-time along the sea-bitten, surf-trampled shore; the mood that builds a wall around the tower; the mood that sends on the long, endless trail of homeless globe-trotting, the man whose veins run hot with the crude home-building instinct; the mood that keeps empty and alone the arms of the woman who turns at every baby face on the street; the mood that paralyzes the artist's hand.

That's the twisted whim of fate that keeps the merry old lover of the feminine solitary in the yellow shine of his candles at his crackers and wine.

He best loves all girl and womankind, babies and is merry with them. He understands their weak spots and their faults and their regrets. He adores their frailties and marvels at their cleverness, and can sniff their moods on the wind long before the breath of a cloud blows across the green eyes to dear to his heart.

Dumpy and Dumpsey, little girls, and "old" girls, kittens and cats, hoydens and gadabouts—it really doesn't make any never-mind;

And they all have their hearts out for him. Some their caps—but *all* their hearts. Bullee Boy him! The man who travels the lonely path, whom the little kids and the dogs and the women love on sight—who sings the old song about "drink to the lass" and means it in the yellow glimmer of his candles over his crackers and wine.

Some women are wonderful, some are sweet, some we love and some are shrews—but here's to'em a', NELL BRINKLEY.

UNRUFFLED STILL

"When he was a boy he wore a large patch on his trousers without a trace of embarrassment."

"And now that he is a very rich man?"

"He carries a large blot on his reputation with equal composure."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

"Here's to Maiden of Bashful Fifteen!"—By Nell Brinkley

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"Here's to the girl with a pair of blue eyes—and here's to the one with none, sir"

HERE'S to the maiden of bashful fifteen,
Now to the widow of fifty;
Here's to the flaunting, extravagant queen,
And here's to the housewife that's thrifty.
Let the toast pass,
Drink to the lass;
I'll warrant she'll prove
An excuse for the glass!

Here's to the girl with a pair of blue eyes,
Here's to the girl with a pair of blue eyes,
And now to the nymph with but one, sir
Let the toast pass, etc.
Here's to the maid with a bosom of snow,
Now to her that's as brown as a berry,
Here's to the wife with a face full of woe,
And now to the damsel that's merry.
Let the toast pass, etc.
For let her be clumsy or let her be slim,
Young or ancient, I care not a feather!
So fill up a bumper, say, fill to the brim,
And let us e'en toast us together!
Let the toast pass,
Drink to the lass,
I'll warrant she'll prove
An excuse for the glass!

SHERIDAN.

That is the very spirit-stuff of one kind of a bachelor. The flitting, half-merry, half-pensive song brings him sharply before your inturned eyes, the eyes you can see in the dark with. If you know one of his heroine kind. He loves all women—but has not one!

Some sassy, sour other kind of a her might say, "Now the latter is the cause-why of the former." But it isn't.

If it isn't that he once one time wanted one little old sweet, bluecyed mouse in a pink, sunshiny and something happened right out of the sky that put out the light of the blue eyes and the sunbonnet forever and no other mouse would do, why then it's just a quiet, subdued mood of fate.

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Bagley and the Pup

By KENNETT HARRIS

Considered from a humanitarian standpoint, Bagley was not remarkable. His sympathies had tolerably well-defined callouses on them here and there, just as yours and mine have—fortunately.

He could read his morning paper without being made wretched for the rest of the day, and go through a magazine of fiction and all dry-eyed and without a suspicion of chokiness or a despairing sigh.

Nevertheless, Bagley had decent instincts that would not allow him to stand idly by when a dumb animal was being abused, and when the thick-necked person in the butcher shop kicked the dog from the threshold across the sidewalk to the wheel of a waiting dray, and stepped forward seeming about to repeat the kick Bagley intervened.

"I wouldn't do that," he said.

"Eh, you wouldn't, eh?" retorted the thick-necked person, with ferocious pleasantry. "Well, you don't have to, but you'd better stand aside if you don't want me to step on you."

Almost Won a Martyr's Crown

"That's all right, but you won't touch that dog," said Bagley, and as the thick-necked person pushed him aside, he hit out and landed on a brutal jaw, with about as much dancing effect as if he had punched the butcher's chopping block.

Before he could recover himself the thick-necked person, smote him on the nose and followed that with a blow that almost instantly closed his left eye.

Bagley fought back gamely, but if a policeman had not miraculously arrived in the nick of time, he might have been a worthy candidate for a crown of martyrdom.

As it was, after a brief altercation the thick-necked person went back to his shop and Bagley picked up his hat and readjusted his collar and necktie. He was about to walk away when his eye fell on the brindled cause of the trouble who was sitting on his haunches a short distance away.

"Poor fellow," said Bagley. "Poor old chap!"

The dog made a dash at him, his body wriggling in an ecstasy of joyous emotion. Bagley snapped his fingers and the dog jumped on him, making frantic efforts to lick the hand that was caressing him.

Bagley was moved by the poor animal's gratitude; also a strong sense of the nobility of his own conduct was thrilling him. The pity of it was that there had been no witnesses of his heroism but the policeman, and the policeman had been unappreciative.

It was an ugly brute of a dog, mongrel from his long tail—a brindled epitome of breeds; but Bagley knew he had made in him a friend who would follow him through any adversity, who would leave the flesh-pots of the proud and rich to share a bare crust with him, so "Come along, pup," said Bagley, and the cur trotted along behind him with the air of one whose life destiny is fully settled.

Mrs. Bagley received the waif with a lack of enthusiasm. "What on earth do you want with a dog, my dear?" she said. "There are several uses for him," replied Bagley. "To begin with, he will be a protector against burglars and tramps. Small as he is, he can give an effective alarm, and furthermore, we might teach him tricks for the amusement of our guests and save the expense of a professional entertainer."

"Don't talk nonsense. Come and let me see if I can't do something for that poor eye," said Mrs. Bagley.

Installing Hector at Home.

Bagley fed the dog liberally that evening, and then took him down to the basement, where he fixed a cracker box with some old carpet for Hector's bed. He had decided to call the dog Hector. He had barely reached the top of the stairs when the air was rent by dismal howlings. Bagley decided to pay no attention to these demonstrations of grief, in the fond hope that he dog would get tired.

Mrs. Bagley maintained an eloquent and unwavering silence. After about an hour of it, Bagley said, "He's lonely, poor fellow. He didn't like me to leave him."

Mrs. Bagley sniffed.

"I suppose you wouldn't want me to let him out?" Bagley asked. "It doesn't seem to me that he could do any harm."

"I most decidedly do not want him now," declared Mrs. Bagley. "The idea of such a thing!"

"Oh, very well," said Bagley, and presently the howling ceased and didn't crop out again until an hour after midnight. That time Bagley was obliged to go down and remonstrate with Hector, using an old broom.

The next morning, when he went to the basement, Hector welcomed him as effusively as ever, whereat Bagley's heart smote him for his severity.

After breakfast he took Hector for a walk. His wife tried to get him to stay at home on account of his eye, but he insisted that he was not likely to meet anybody. He did though. He met two elderly women, evidently strangers to the town, and Hector greeted them with the most extravagant demonstrations of joy.

"Come here, Hector," called Bagley, but Hector took not the slightest notice, and as his new friends walked on, proceeded to follow them. Bagley whistled and called in a more peremptory manner, at which the two women stopped.

"Go to your master, nice doggie," said one. "You'll get into trouble if you don't."

Hector merely cringed.

"What a Brutal-Looking Man!"

"Poor fellow," said the other. "He looks as if he had been terribly illtreated and half-starved. And what a brutal looking man! He's been fighting, don't you see?"

Bagley could just hear this. He cursed to Hector again, unwillingly and then, in bitterness of spirit, turned and walked away.

"Where is that dog?" asked Mrs. Bagley. "Did you see he pulled down those lace curtains that I had drying in the basement and tore them all into shreds?"

A day or two later as Bagley was returning home, a brindled dog pranced gaily across a road-width of mud puddles and planted his dripping paws on the suburbanite's previously immaculate trousers. It was Hector.

Bagley drew back his right leg and then kicked out with all the might in him. "Blame you to blazes!" he exclaimed savagely as Hector fell howling. He took a step toward the dog, frowning.

"Nix, I wouldn't do that," said a man who had come up behind him. There was righteous indignation in the man's tone.

RELAPSE

Although the doctor cured him
With a homeopathic pill,
He subsequently floored him
With an allopathic bill.

—Philadelphia Ledger.

AGE NO DRAWBACK

"Would it be any harm to deceive her about my age?" inquired the elderly suitor.

"Definitely."

"Probably not."

"I'm sixty. How would it do to confess to fifty?"

"I think your chances would be better with her if you claimed seventy-five."—Kansas City Journal.

BUSINESS CONFERENCE

"The junior partner wants to see you right away," announced the bookkeeper. "I guess it's the bounce for yours."

"Nix," responded the office boy. "He only wants to find out what new players have been signed."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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When Looking for Culture, Look at Home

By WINIFRED BLACK

Samuel E. Weber, State inspector of high schools in Louisiana, says: The reason young men and women in the South are flocking from the farms to the city is not that they dislike fields and streams, but that they love and long for culture.

Well, I'm glad you think so, Mr. Weber. That sort of opinion sounds awfully well, especially on paper.

Perhaps the poor things do love and long for culture, but I'm afraid they get very little of it when they flock to the cities.

There is more real culture in one little village library than there is in a whole mile of Commonwealth avenue.

And what kind of culture is it that a girl finds in a working girls' boarding house?

And how cultivated are the young men after a couple of months—spent, most of it, in pool halls and cheap moving picture shows?

No. If a girl is lonely in the country, and hates to be called a jay worse than she hates to be half starved and wholly ill-treated, why let her leave her good, comfortable home on the farm and come to town and be ettilled to her heart's content.

Let her learn to do her hair so that it looks like a cocoanut door mat on a spree, and by the time she's had a chance to accumulate three strings of beads and a pair of dangle earrings she will look as if she had been brought up on the Bowery.

But she'll be mighty hungry sometimes, and mighty lonely, and so homesick that she'd walk two miles to hear a katydid, and a dozen miles for a meal of corn bread and a glass of real buttermilk.

As to the boy. Nobody blames him for leaving the farm. He wants to get out and see the world. He wouldn't be a man if he didn't.

But don't pretend that it's culture you are looking for, little brother, when its excitement and nickelodeons and vaudeville shows.

Stay at home if you want culture, brother Jonathan and sister Sue. The city is no place for such as you to find it.

My Ideal and I

We did not meet in glittering hall,
At mirth and beauty's court,
Nor yet at banquet, play, or ball,
The scenes our folkdom sport.
Nor anywhere among the throng
Of gibbed folly's slaves,
Whose sparens make wealth the cloak of wrong,
Whose kings are secret knaves.

We did not meet among the flowers,
All in a garden fair,
Where bees and birds beguile the hours
And love is in the air;
Where Nature does her richest robe
To her all eyes see,
And group the graces of the globe,
In bowers of Arcady.

We did not meet in foreign climes,
'Neath cold or sunny skies,
Mid Scottish hills or Spanish limes,
Or where Sweet Como lies;
We did not meet in Summer, Spring,
In Winter's chilly Fall,
Ideals are ever vanishing
We did not meet at all.

CALL IT SUPER-FLAVOR

Explain it this way. All coffee has a certain taste in common, that everybody knows.

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Harvard Professor's Opera, Sung for First Time, Marks an Epoch

THE PIPE OF DESIRE.
Opera in one act.
Music by Frederic S. Converse.
Book by Josiah Edward Barker.
(In English.)

Iolan, a peasant.....Richard Martin
Naoia, his betrothed.....Louise Homer
Elemer, lover of the latter.....Clarence Whitehill
First Child.....Jeanne Woolfolk Bispham
First Salamander.....Florence Mulford
First Gnome.....Herbert Wilcoxson
Gnomes, Sylphs, Fairies and Salamanders, by mixed chorus.

Conductor.....Alfred Hertz
Stage manager.....Wilhelm Wolff
Chorus master.....Hans Kronold

By CHARLES HENRY MELTZER.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Friday, the 18th of March, 1910, will be a memorable date in the history of music in America.

It will henceforward be associated in our minds with the first performance under the auspices of a management regularly in control of the Metropolitan Opera House of an opera by an American composer, illustrating an English libretto by an American and sung by an almost wholly American cast.

The work in question, to be sure, was in one act, and therefore not, perhaps, of enough importance to warrant much the ordering with regard to what may or may not be the bright future of opera in the vernacular.

But the production of that work did mark at least the beginning—and not as some I know hope, the end—of a movement in favor of English (or American) opera.

Harvard Professor the Composer.

Frederick Converse, professor of music at Harvard, is the composer of "The Pipe of Desire," which was performed last night. The libretto, who supplied him with the book of the opera is George Edward Barker, a Boston architect.

In passing I may mention that, though the lower part of the Metropolitan was thronged and apparently interested in the fate of Mr. Converse's opera, there was a distressingly small attendance in the gal leries.

From this it would not do, I think, to argue that New Yorkers are indifferent to the experimental performance of operas in English. Rather might one infer that they are distressful of new works by men whose names are not yet baked here with success.

Next I regret to say that, though there was much applause when the curtain fell on the last episode in the opera, it was misleading. "The Pipe of Desire" is not the triumph one might fancy after listening to that applause. At most it could be called a "success of esteem." But relatively speaking, it was a triumph for an American composer to have been made known in his country men on the boards of the most famous and fashionable opera house of the Metropolis.

Needs a Better Libretto.

Mr. Converse may therefore be congratulated even if his opera should not live beyond this season. And I feel confident that if he had had a good libretto to inspire him instead of the absurd book of Mr. Barker's he would have rendered a more creditable account of himself as a dramatic composer than he did last night.

The scene of the "The Pipe of Desire" is the embodiment of a good, if not a very original or effective, musician. Mr. Converse has studied in good schools. He has all that they feel or imagine. He has learned all that could well be learned from Chadwick and Heidecker.

Nor has he neglected the Italian modern schools, during the progress of his opera. We were reminded of Puccini and of Mascagni. His orchestration is truly skilful and effective, but, being the expression in terms of a dull story, forgetful of form and lacking in relief, it has little variety and occasionally wearies the listener.

Story of the Opera.

The story of "The Pipe of Desire."

If I have fathomed it, it is an effort in the form of an allegory to explain the old, old truth that man does better to leave the rule and the affairs of life to the wise care of God than to attempt to act as his own Providence.

In playing on "the pipes" of his desire, the hero of Mr. Barker's libretto, named Iolan, brings death to his betrothed, Naoia, and hastens his own end. The Law of Love, which, in its immutability, Mr. Barker is symbolized in a strange, dreary character, Thanu, is the symbol of the Fates, upon whose rules he has the Old One.

The stage background is a lovely woodland scene, with a broad valley and fair hills within sight. And the costuming is beautiful in suggestion as a Corot.

Among the earliest episodes in the opera which linger more agreeably in the memory is a dance of Dudines and sprites, which has color and picturesqueness. The narrative, preceding this, rags of the Pipes from The Old One, and, chiefly, a chorus, sung behind the scenes, after the death of Naoia.

Not much, I admit, to plead in extenuation of the general mediocrity of the book. But, as I have hinted, the faults of the opera and the failure of the hero are in the past to interpret it aright should be imputed largely to the libretto. Mr. Converse has not a spark of the dramatic instinct in him. Neither is he in any high sense of the word, even lyrical. His exact text was written without regard for the way it would produce when sung. That is its chief, glaring sin.

As for the interpretation:

To borrow the world-famous formula of the late Emile Zola, "J'accuse!"

Singers Are Criticised.

First, I accuse the singers, with the exception of Mr. Witherspoon, who took part in the performance of having neglected the rudiments of their profession by omitting to acquire the art of diction.

Next I denounce them for their deliberate, as well as their unwitting, perversion of English.

Lastly, I am inclined to believe some of them guilty of hostility to the libretto not due to the inactive, of singing operas in the vernacular.

Lastly one word in ten that fell from the lips of Louise Homer, Alice Nealy, of Riccardo Martin (the Iolan), and the other singers—always excepting Richard Martin—upon the First Gnome, and, to some extent, Clarence Whitehill (the Old One), was intelligible to our strained ears. Almost all the artists in the cast should go to school again.

It is singers—not the singers—who are most harmful to the cause of English opera. Alfred Hertz gave an impressive and eloquent, though at times somewhat noisy, reading of Mr. Converse's music. The dances, like the grouping and costuming of the opera, did credit to the Metropolitan.

Louise Homer Who Sang the Role of "Naoia" In "The Pipe of Desire."

Opera-Goers Shudder in Terror Over "Tosca"

By FREDERICK JOHNS.

PUCCINI'S opera "Tosca," was repeated at the Boston Opera House last evening. Felix Deyroyne sang Floria Tosca, Constantino was Marcic, and George Baklanoff, Scarpia.

Tosca is an opera of passion and violent death. All the leading characters die horridly, but poor Floria probably selected the worst punishment. Scarpia was about to clasp his beloved in his arms when the dear creature pushed him with a breadknife. Mario faced a firing squad with a smiling countenance, because he thought they were using blank cartridges, and his last sensation was probably one of surprise when the bullets hit him.

Tosca elected to jump from the roof in a very high building and presumably died when she struck the pavement. We ought to be grateful to Puccini that he did not show us how she looked after her landing.

And a Torture Scene, Too.

Incidentally there is a very harrowing torture scene in the second act and a disgusting exhibition of genital passion on the part of Scarpia.

After the trials in baddy music of Rossini in "The Barber of Seville," on Wednesday, the savagery of "Tosca" was a horrible contrast, and yet the dramatic intensity of both the acting and music of the latter work fascinate and enthrall, while the "Barber" alternately bores or mildly amuses.

Deroyne is an acceptable Tosca. She is delightful in the earlier scenes, and fairly adequate in the terrible second act, while she sings the prayer in most expressive manner.

Mario is a wonderful role when sung by Constantino. It is not a great tenor part in the hands of an indifferent man and in the past we have not appreciated the beauty and color of the aria in the first act nor the pure lyric grandeur of the death song, because they needed a brilliant tenor to interpret them.

Baklanoff is usually a mighty Scarpia, but he does not make you hate him enough. Scarpia is a vile scorn with no decent instincts.

"Lohengria" in Italian.

The patrons of the popular priced performances at the Opera House will have the privilege this evening of witnessing the only performance of "Lohengrin" by the local company this season. "Lohengrin" was given on the road with singers from the Metropolitan Opera House in leading roles. Tonight the principal parts will be sung by members of the Boston company. The opera will be sung in Italian instead of German.

Eggs and Economics

By MILO HASTINGS

CHARLES H. PARSONS is the representative of one of the largest cold storage companies in the country. Writing for the Springfield Republican, with the avowed purpose of justifying the present condition of the food trade, Mr. Parsons publishes the following table as a typical division of the price paid for cold storage eggs in 1910 by the consumers in Eastern cities:

Farmer's price	16 cents
Cost of packing, etc.	2 cents
Shipper's profit	1 cent
Transportation	1½ cents
Storage charge	1½ cents
Interest, insurance, etc.	1 cent
Wholesaler's rehandling	1½ cents
Wholesaler's profit	2 cents
Retailer's profit	14 cents
Paid by the consumer	40 cents

Some things we hold to be improved with age, as cheese or whiskey. Other things there are that change their form only as they pass through the chain of multiple ownership. Wheat, for example, then flour—bread—toast. Added labor, added cost—and, lodged by our willingness to pay the price, added value.

With the egg, not so. The further it gets from the hen in hours, in miles, in the number of owners, the less we prize it. But for the less desirable product we pay the 150 per cent. increase over the farmer's price because the cook book says "take the whites of five eggs," and in the science of cooking there is no known egg substitute.

Mr. Parsons's object in publishing the above table was to show the relatively small amount of the consumer's egg money that is lodged on the particular step of the price-ladder wherefrom he gathers his living.

A cent and a half a dozen looks small, and is small, compared with the farmer's or retailer's share, but, figured out upon the basis of an annual egg crop of two billion dozens, it would more than pay the salaries of our sixty thousand postmasters.

Happily all eggs are not cold stored, and the number of the quality and grade of fresh eggs the items of "storage charge," "interest, insurance, etc.," drop out.

A couple of instances in the handling of fresh eggs is shown from the following data:

On February 3, 1910, the average price for eggs paid to farmers in a number of Kansas towns was twenty-four cents. The wholesale price in New York for "Western fresh" was 31½ cents. Eggs of this grade were selling retail for 38, 45, 48 or 54 cents, according to the location of the retail shop.

Taking the season through and averaging cold storage with fresh twenty cents a dozen about represents the cost of transferring eggs from the country town's market of Kansas and Nebraska to the kitchen of the New York consumer. This is more than the farmer's price, which includes not only the cost of production, but a wagon haul of greater length than that at the other end of distribution.

The freight rate on eggs from Beatrice, Nebraska, to New York City, about as far as eggs are shipped commercially, is $1.21 a hundred pounds, or about 2 cents a dozen.

The farmer feeds the hen. The hen lays an egg. The farmer wants to sell the egg for 2 cent and a half. The railroad will take it fifteen hundred miles for a shrip of a cent. For our present scheme of transferring the ownership of the egg from the farmer, who knows that the consumer wants to buy the egg, to the consumer, who knows that the farmer wants to sell the egg, civilization charges two cents.

Some day some super-statesman is going to devise a plan by which the public who wants something can get it from the man who has something, paying for the cost of bringing it to him, without giving toll at every turn of the highway.

INDIGESTION, HEARTBURN GAS AND STOMACH HEADACHE GO.

There would not be a case of indigestion, here if readers who are subject to Stomach trouble knew the tremendous anti-ferment and digestive virtue contained in Diapepsin. This harmless preparation will digest a heavy meal without the slightest fuss or discomfort, and relieve the sourest acid stomach in five minutes, besides overcoming all foul, Nauseous odors from the breath.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula plainly printed on each 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin, then you will readily understand why this promptly cures Indigestion and removes such symptoms as Heartburn, a feeling like a lump of lead in the stomach, Belching of Gas and Eructations of undigested food, water brash, Nausea, Headache, Billiousness and many other bad symptoms; and, besides, you will not need laxatives to keep your stomach, liver and intestines clean and fresh.

If your Stomach is sour and full of gas, your food doesn't digest, and your meals don't seem to fit, why not get a 50-cent case from your druggist and make life worth living? Absolute relief from Stomach misery and perfect digestion of anything you eat is sure to follow five minutes after, and, besides, one case is sufficient to cure a whole family of such trouble.

Surely, a harmless, inexpensive preparation like Diapepsin, which will always, either at daytime or during night, relieve your stomach misery and digest your meals, is about as handy and valuable a thing as you could have in the house.

Society Flocks To Charity Sale At Copley Hall

By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT

ASIDE from the fair at Copley Hall this morning, continued from yesterday, there is little of interest to call out the fashionables today and the best one smart ones can do is to content themselves with contemplating the various events of the near future.

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The younger members are looking fondly forward to the dance which Mr. and Mrs. Louis Curtis of Beacon street are giving next Thursday evening for their young sons, Louis, Jr., and Lawrence Curtis, who are attending the Groton school, but will then be home for their Easter vacation.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Dwight are to entertain twenty of the young people at a dinner which they are to give prior to the dance, at their residence on Beacon street in honor of their son and daughter, Philip and Ruth Dwight. Mr. and Mrs. Neal Rantoul will also entertain several of the young people at a dinner which they are giving the same night for their daughter, Miss Josephine Rantoul, at their Pinfield street home. Dr. and Mrs. Dwight and Mrs. Rantoul will take their young guests on to the dance after their dinners.

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The friends here of Countess Moltke (Cornelia Thayer) are interested to learn that she is to represent a celebrated picture of a colonial episode in tableaux to be given in Washington for the benefit of the navy. The Countess has just returned to her home in Washington from a visit with her relatives in Boston.

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Mrs. Harry Peirr McKean, who has spent the greater part of the Winter in Boston, is one of the half dozen patronesses chosen for that exclusive Philadelphia event, the Easter cotillion, on the evening of Friday, April 22.

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Professor and Mrs. William T. Sedgwick of Edge Hill road in Brookline are leaving town today for an extensive European tour. They are sailing on the Saxonia from New York for Genoa by way of Madeira and Gibraltar and will not return to this country before Autumn. Their time abroad is to be spent in Greece, Northern Italy, Switzerland, Germany, England and France. Professor Sedgwick is a member of the faculty of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and his classes will be in charge of Professor Samuel C. Prescott and Professor E. A. Winslow during his absence.

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Miss Eleanor Bridgham of Beacon street is entertaining at her residence this morning, giving a fashionable reception and musicale.

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Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. George von L. Meyer of Boston and Washington gave a large dinner party at their residence in Washington which was attended by many of the official and diplomatic set. Among their guests were the French Ambassador and Mme. Jusserand, the Japanese Ambassador and Mme. Chinda, Mrs. Robert McCormick of Chicago, Mrs. John F. Rogers, Mrs. Maude Wetmore, Benjamin S. Chase, Peter Hoffman, Lieutenant Commander Henry V. Butler, Lee McClung, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Townsend, Lieutenant Commander Philip Andrews and Mrs. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mitchell and Lieutenant Commander and Mrs. Walter H. Gherardi.

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Miss S. B. Hodge of this city is the Providence guest of Mrs. Charles J. Steedman.

"CHANTECLER"—?

By Morton Birge

'Glen Rock' Scene of Happy Return of Wedding Day

"Glen Rock," the beautiful Dutton estate in Malden, on the fringe of the wooded tracts of Middlesex Fells, was the scene of the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Dutton.

Mr. Dutton is president of the firm of Houghton & Dutton, of which he was one of the founders and through whose efforts the firm has gained a reputation that ranks high among department store owners.

The interior of the Dutton mansion was decorated with roses, rare violets, orchids and banks of palms, while the exterior was festooned with greenery and flowers. The music furnished by the Boston Symphony orchestra delighted the hundred or more guests who had gathered to extend their congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Dutton.

The guests were presented by ten ushers all of whom were relatives. They were: Harold and George Dutton, sons; Dr. Benjamin D. Pessles of Hillsboro, N. H.; Alexander McGregor, Elmer A. Lord and Alfred Lounsbury of New York, son-in-law; Frank E. Hatch, a brother-in-law; Irving F. Morse and Perley Chase, grandsons by marriage, and J. Edward Dutton, a cousin.

Half a century ago Mr. Dutton married Miss Harriet Marion Conant, daughter of George Washington Conant of Enfield, N. H., and the couple have lived at Glen Rock for the past thirty-five years.

A solid gold service, presented by the buyers and managers of the store, was the only gift because of Mr. Dutton's modesty. When Mrs. Dutton was preparing the invitations she slipped into each envelope a tiny card requesting that gifts be omitted.

A host of letters and telegrams of congratulation, from employees in other lands and persons whoever unable to be present, were received.

The great store, which today takes in almost an entire block and in which Mr. Dutton is so deeply engrossed, was started in January, 1874, on two floors of the old Pattison building, which stood on the site of the present store.

NECESSITY

Wife—Don't get foolish just because you've had a little money left to you. You'd better be economical now.

Husband—Is it too late?

Wife—But if you don't live economically now you'll have to later.—Judge.

Mother—It's too hard to be economical when you have to.—Catholic Times.

BE PREPARED

Don't put your money on a horse unless you are prepared to see him run away with it.—Portland Oregonian.

DON'T LOSE HOPE IF YOU HAVE ECZEMA

Cadum, the New Remedy, Cures That Stubborn Disease.

Eczema, Salt Rheum and similar skin diseases rarely cure themselves, but grow worse from week to week until the sufferer is nearly driven mad. Do not waste time taking internal medicine. Life is a burden without driver from the outside. Get a medicinal box of Cadum, the new remedy, and apply it immediately with the finger. It will soothe and cool at once, improvement will be noticed over night. Consistent cures follow in a short time. Cadum is clean, and all poisonous particles and germs it cures while the patient is at work, and is just as effective in other troubles, such as pimples, blackheads, ringworm, acne, herpes, scaly skin, rash, chilblains, etc. Large box 25c.

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Murray's Lotion immediately relieves itching and soreness on any portion of the human body. It reduces swellings, heals abrasions, eradicates boils, pimples and blotches and promotes a healthy skin. For running sores, open cuts, incipient or malignant carbuncles it has no equal in medicinal practice. Its antiseptic action prevents blood poison by destroying germ life and restoring the tissues to normal action.

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SOCIAL AND CLUB NOTES

President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard University and Mrs. Lowell and Professor Frederick Amdbery of Goettingen, Germany, and Sergeant Jackson were the principal guests at the annual dinner of the New England Association of Oberlin, which was held last night at the Hotel Bellevue. E. Y. Grauill, the retiring president of the association, was toastmaster. The following officers were elected: President, Curtis H. Waterman of Arlington; vice-president, R. H. Hosmer of Cambridge; corresponding secretary, Miss Minnie May of Newton; secretary and treasurer, Cleveland F. Wilsberry of Boston; executive committee, Professor Charles N. Carver of Cambridge, L. D. Gibbs of Newton, Mrs. Mabel H. Dyer of Brookline and E. V. Grauill.

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At the annual prize drill of the fifty battalions of Dorchester High School Cadets in the school gymnasium yesterday afternoon, the first senior prize was won by Co. F, Captain William Hourihan. The junior company prize was won by Company G, Captain Carl A. Gartsenhaus. Corporal Gunning won first prize in the junior individual competition, and Sergeant Jackson won first prize in the senior individual competition. The judges were Major E. Dwight Patterson, C. A. C., and Captain Frank B. Wilson, Third Company, C. A. C.

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The Harvard Dramatic Club will produce four one-act plays on April 13, 14 and 16, under the direction of Frank Reicher of New York. The four plays were selected from more than thirty submitted in the club's Spring competition. The series opens with a tragedy by Paul Mariet, '11, "The Better Way," adapted from the Spanish of Alarcon. The second is a farce, "The Marvelous Benthan," by Hermann Hagedorn, '07. The third, "The New Age," by David Carb, '08, and the fourth, "The Better Man," by R. H. Gould, a second year student in the graduate school.

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The Practical Arts High School held a fair last evening in the Sarah J. Baker School on Perrin street. There was a large attendance. The articles were made by the school girls, and behind the counters were girls chosen to sell them. They were sunbonnets, and the halls were decorated very prettily. The money which they obtain is to go for the furthering of the material which is needed for the school.

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The Rhinch Collegium convocation of gossipers, the greatest of Winter events at Boston University College of Liberal Arts, was held last night in the Copley building, Boston and Exeter streets. Fully 1,500 attended the banquet given by the Gamma Delta Society, which includes in its membership all the women students of the university. Nearly every college in New England was represented.

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Arthur Hawkes, superintendent of the department of publicity of the Canadian Northern Railway system, will address the International Club tonight on "The Man With Two Countries." Mr. Hawkes will deal with the present tariff system.

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PACKERS COMMENCE EXTRADITION FIGHT

CHICAGO, March 19.—With the return of Ralph Crowe, chief counsel for the National Packing Company, from a mysterious visit east, the fight to prevent extradition on the New Jersey indictments against the directors, officers and subsidiary corporations of the trust, was begun. A part of the plan, it is said, was the sudden trip of Samuel R. Fullerton, vice-president of the company, to New Jersey to submit to service.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

FORMER CONGRESSMAN ASKS FOR DIVORCE

CHICAGO, March 19.—Friends of Mrs. Charles McGavin, wife of former Congressman McGavin, are amazed to-day at the action of the husband in filing a suit for divorce immediately following withdrawal of Mrs. McGavin's suit from the courts. Relatives of Mrs. McGavin who believe her marriage was the beautiful ideal of Lily, daughter of a retired real estate dealer of Washington, D. C., were said to have influenced her to withdraw her suit. Now the husband has countered, specifically charging cruelty. He alleges that his wife attacked him on numerous occasions, struck and beat him, and he says that he fears for his life.

PROPOSE SUFFRAGE MOVE OVER NATION

CHICAGO, March 19.—Women property owners in Chicago who have organized to take the payment of taxes until they are given right of ballot, to-day sent invitations to national and State suffrage societies to make the movement country-wide. The "No vote, no tax" League proposed to make a test case of its principles in court in the suit of the county tax collector against Mrs. Belle Squire. "It a husband to be classed under the stock' or a luxury' by women who pay taxes?" is the motto adopted for the league campaign.

TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS

STATE ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

BOSTON STOCKS SAG AT CLOSE

STATE STREET—Although there were some fractional concessions at the opening the tone of the market was strong on fairly substantial trading, with Chesapeake & Ohio and Norfolk & Western most prominent.

The copper stocks soon began to sag, and when buying support was withdrawn prices reacted sharply under selling pressure by professionals, and by the end of the first hour the highest prices of the day were those of over a point. This weakness in New York caused a reaction on the local market, but little change took out on the decline, as it was obvious that the weakness was brought about by a professional raid. By 11:30 the bears withdrew their attack, as it was impossible to cause liquidation.

Prices are based exclusively upon what the Washington judges may do. Labor troubles, the money market, the autumn elections are of no consequence.

\$ \$ \$

A better demand for cash on the part of trade, business and manufacture shows that conditions throughout the country are promising enough, while the news from Washington, indicating that legislation may not be so drastic as it has been feared, is quite gratifying to people generally in the Street.

\$ \$ \$

It now remains to be seen whether the situation is strong enough to permit of the financing of business requirements and an upward speculative movement in the stock market at the same time.

\$ \$ \$

The chief reason for advances for the present is its oversold condition. There is a small investment demand for most stocks, but in Steel the demand is active as a result of the remarkable annual report just made by the corporation.

\$ \$ \$

It is popularly accepted that no mortal can foretell what the United States Supreme Court decision. Yet supremely important decisions have been foretold—and practically anticipated in the markets—by those gifted with fine ears and sharp eyes, who know overheard a casual remark of a Supreme Court judge; who see that Judge Lurton—Taft's appointment—is one of the President's companions; who notice that the ruling executive has a settled habit of dining in Burton's company. Nevertheless, the Standard Oil institutions are doing business. They are seeking profitable employment for their money here as well as abroad.

\$ \$ \$

Railroad gross earnings for the first week of March, so far received, are substantial in very satisfactory volume, the total for all United States roads reporting amounting to 6,000,000 at an increase of 10.8 per cent. as compared with the earnings of the same period last year. Earnings of practically every road reporting exhibit considerable increase, those of leading systems in the South, West and Northwest being especially large.

\$ \$ \$

Strength of Norfolk & Western is believed by the Street to be owing to plans of the Pennsylvania to lease it for the "Panhandle" on a guaranteed dividend basis of 8 per cent. Chesapeake & Ohio showed strength because of the new bond issue proposed in connection with the Hocking Valley purchase.

\$ \$ \$

When the stock market gets in a condition like that at present the Street makes nothing of expected developments in Reading, but when the market is on the boom the bulls in the stock can't say enough about the wonderful things that are to occur to put the security 50 points higher. And now there is no news coming out whatever, but the pool is alert as ever.

\$ \$ \$

In the copper stocks a weakness of Utah is attracting attention. It is owing to the great issue of new stock made recently in connection with the purchase of the Boston Consolidated and the Nevada Consolidated. Like Utah in line with other copper stocks, however, although Nevada Consolidated is showing comparatively better. Utah is nearly 5 points under the parity with Nevada Consolidated, according to the basis of the exchange recently made.

\$ \$ \$

The importance of sentiment in connection with a mining stock has been shown in Calumet & Hecla, which makes a greater showing than Miami in point of tonnage and values.

\$ \$ \$

Advance of Lehigh Valley to the highest price on record is based on a revival of the report that an actual alliance was soon to be made with the Rock Island system. As such an alliance could only be made by way of the Wabash the deal will necessarily take some time to work out. There is little doubt that it will be completed before many months. It is possible that the matter may be hurried should reports that an Washington assume a shape liable to interfere with the plan.

NEW ENGLAND BOOM BY LEGEND STAMP

The stamping of the legend "Made in New England" on all manufactured products of this section is the latest publication by the Boston Chamber of Commerce as a means of advertising the commercial advantages of New England.

This activity on the part of the Chamber of Commerce follows a speech by Ernest J. Ridgway in Boston a short time ago, in which Pilgrim publicity in connection is distributing literature on the subject through the mails.

SPLENDID SONG FREE— Taken from the "Chocolate Soldier" and given with the SUNDAY AMERICAN. Every music-lover should have this.

COUNCIL SLASHES MAYOR'S BUDGET

A reduction of $18,805 in the budget estimate of Mayor Fitzgerald has been made by the City Council. Further reductions are expected, as the Council only got about a third of the way through the budget. The cutting was as follows:

	Mayor	Council
Building	$100,000	$2,250
Cemetery	80,000	8,000
Municipal proceeding	16,073	15,000
Collecting	150,000	6,000
Engineering	85,000	7,555
Total cut, $18805.		

NEW YORK BANK STATEMENT.

NEW YORK, March 19.—The weekly statement of averages of the associated banks, issued to-day, shows:

	March 19, 1910.	Increase.
Loans	$1,243,617,800	$1,575,200
Specie	247,000,000	1,000,000
Circulation	41,928,700	102,000
Net deposits	1,215,152,000	1,000,000
Legal tenders	63,152,000	1,000,000
Total reserve	310,152,000	2,000,000
Reserves required	303,788,000	250,000
Surplus	9,884,725	3,250,000

*Includes $1,740,800 United States deposits, an increase of $1,000,000. † Includes $1,215,152,000 deposits of the banks, trust companies and foreign agencies, an increase of $1,000,000. ‡ Decrease $46,681,250 from previous week. The aggregate of reserves held by the banks is 25.79, against 25.83 in the previous week.

Tours and Travels.

CALIFORNIA OREGON WASHINGTON

If you are going to California, Oregon, or Washington, save your money and get all comforts of a Palace Car service. Personally conducted Tourist Car Parties, every week. Tourist Car Party. You pass all the best scenery en route. Our prices include a comfortable sleeping car, and, if you desire, meals en route. Write for full information of our personally conducted service. Write to C. A. ANDERSON, G. E. Agent, Palace Tourist Car Parties, 736 Old South Building, Boston, and learn about these parties.

Reduced Rates

MUDLAVIA Cures Rheumatism, Kidney, Skin and Nerve Troubles with its famous Mud Baths. Try letter, open all year. Thousands made well; natural treatment—draws out pain and poison. Book free. J. K. D. Kramer, Exec. Manager, Isle Royale, Mudlavia, Ind.

GETS PARDON TO GO TO ANOTHER PRISON

ALBANY, N. Y., March 19.—Governor Hughes is to pardon Vincenzo Bodola, who is in Sing Sing for a minor offense, but Bodola will be taken to New Haven, Ct., where he is charged with conspiracy to commit murder.

BOSTON STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Last.
Boston Elevated	130	129½	130
N. Y., N. H. & H.	128	128	128
West End	105½	105½	105½
West End pref.	100½	100½	100½
BONDS.			
Ch., B. & Q. 4s, JB.	96¼	96¼	96¼
Ch., B. & Q. 4s, JD.	96¼	96¼	96¼
Am. Tel. & Tel. 4s	91½	91½	91½
Mass. 4s, 1929	104	104	104
MINING STOCKS.			
Adventure	8½	8½	8½
Allouez	45	45	45
Arizona Commercial	3	3	3
Calumet & Arizona	66½	66½	66½
Calumet & Hecla	620	620	620
Centennial	20½	20½	20½
Copper Range	58½	58½	58½
Daly West	20	20	20
Franklin	11½	11½	11½
Granby	90	90	90
Greene-Cananea	46½	46½	46½
La Salle Copper	12½	12½	12½
Mass.	3	3	3
Mohawk	60	60	60
North Butte	43½	43½	43½
Old Dominion	60	60	60
Parrot	16	16	16
Santa Fe	2½	2½	2½
Shannon	11½	11½	11½
Utah	44	44	44
Victoria	3½	3½	3½
TELEPHONES.			
American	141½	141½	141½
Mexico pref.	90	90	90
Western	104½	104½	104½
Western pref.	116	116	116
ELECTRIC COMPANIES.			
Edison Electric	254	254	254
Mass. Electric	15	15	15
MISCELLANEOUS.			
American Pneumatic	7	7	7
Am. Pneumatic pref.	25	25	25
Am. Sugar pref.	117½	117½	117½
Mass. Gas pref.	90½	90½	90½
Mergenthaler	220	220	220
Reece Button Hole	10	10	10
Rumford pref.	100	100	100
United Fruit	130½	130½	130½
United Shoe Mach. com.	27½	27½	27½
United Shoe Mach. pref.	27½	27½	27½
UNLISTED SECURITIES.			
Amalgamated	70½	67½	68½
Am. Coal & W.	20	20	20
Am. Zinc	28	28	28
Bonanza	2½	2½	2½
Boston & Corbin	3½	3½	3½
Boston & Montana	18	18	18
Cumberland	3½	3½	3½
Hancock	18	18	18
Helvetia	40	40	40
Indiana	3½	3½	3½
Isle Royale	27	27	27
Kerr Lake	7½	7½	7½
Keweenaw	2	2	2
Lake Copper	27½	27½	27½
Majestic	18	18	18
North Lake	3½	3½	3½
Ray Cons.	18½	18½	18½
Superior & Boston	1½	1½	1½
Superior & Pittsburg	1½	1½	1½
U. S. Smelting	54	54	54
U. S. Smelting pref.	49½	49½	49½
Utah Apex	5	5	5

NEW YORK STOCKS.

RAILROADS.	High.	Low.	Closing.
Atch., T. & S. F.	101½	101	101½
Balt. & Ohio	113½	113	113½
Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	91½	91	91½
Canadian Pac.	175½	174½	175½
Ches. & Ohio	77	76½	77
Chi., G. W.	17	16½	16½
Chi., M. & St. P.	141	140½	140½
Chi., R. I. & P.	27½	27½	27½
Chi., R. I. & P. pf.	54½	54½	54½
Colo. Fuel & Iron	39½	39	39
Colo. Southern	39½	39	39
Del. & Hud.	175	174½	174½
Del., L. & W.	452	452	452
Denver & R. G.	19½	19½	19½
Denver & R. G. pf.	45½	45½	45½
Erie	29½	29½	29½
Erie 1st pref.	45½	45½	45½
Erie 2d pref.	35½	35½	35½
Great Nor. pf.	130½	130½	130½
Great Nor. ore	43½	43½	43½
Illinois Central	145½	145½	145½
Interborough	21½	21½	21½
Interborough pf.	73½	73½	73½
Iowa Central	19½	19½	19½
Kan. City So.	29½	29½	29½
Kan. City So. pf.	58½	58½	58½
Louis. & Nash.	150½	150½	150½
Minn. & St. L.	45½	45½	45½
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	135½	135½	135½
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	29½	29½	29½
Mo., Kan. & Tex. pf.	58½	58½	58½
Mo. Pac.	49½	49½	49½
Nat. R. of Mex. pf.	4½	4½	4½
N. Y. C. & H.	128	128	128
N. Y., O. & W.	34½	34½	34½
Norfolk & West.	93½	93½	93½
Northern Pac.	124½	124½	124½
Pacific Mail	28½	28½	28½
Penn.	127½	127½	127½
Reading	161½	161½	161½
Rock Island	22½	22½	22½
Rock Island pf.	49½	49½	49½
Southern Pac.	113½	113½	113½
Southern Ry.	25½	25½	25½
Southern Ry. pf.	67½	67½	67½
Union Pac.	164½	164½	164½
Union Pac. pf.	87½	87½	87½
Wabash	8½	8½	8½
Wabash pf.	20½	20½	20½
INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.			
Am. Agricultural	58½	58½	58½
Am. Car & Fdy.	45½	45½	45½
Am. Cotton Oil	57½	57½	57½
Am. Beet Sugar	30½	30½	30½
Am. Ice Sec.	20½	20½	20½
Am. Linseed	12½	12½	12½
Am. Smelting	87½	87½	87½
Am. Smelting pf.	104½	104½	104½
Am. Steel Foundries	31½	31½	31½
Am. Sugar	117½	117½	117½
Am. Tel. & Tel.	141½	141½	141½
Am. Tobacco	245	245	245
Am. Woolen	30½	30½	30½
Anaconda Mining Co.	45½	45½	45½
Batopilas Mining	30	30	30
Brooklyn Union Gas	135	135	135
Central Leather	28½	28½	28½
Central Leather pf.	97½	97½	97½
Chino Copper	47½	47½	47½
Colorado Fuel & Iron	39½	39	39
Consolidated Gas	135½	135½	135½
Corn Products	13½	13½	13½
Distillers' Securities	41½	41½	41½
General Electric	161½	161½	161½
Goldfield Con.	6½	6½	6½
Great Western Power	70½	70½	70½
Guggenheim Exploration	34½	34½	34½
Inspiration	18½	18½	18½
International Paper	9½	9½	9½
International Paper pf.	70½	70½	70½
McKinley Darragh	95	95	95
Nat. Biscuit	120	120	120
Nat. Lead	57½	57½	57½
Nevada Con.	18½	18½	18½
Ontario	3½	3½	3½
Pacific Coast	49½	49½	49½
Pacific Coast 1st pf.	90	90	90
Pacific Coast 2d pf.	80	80	80
Pacific Mail	28½	28½	28½
People's Gas	103½	103½	103½
Pittsburg Coal	24½	24½	24½
Pittsburg Coal pf.	86½	86½	86½
Pressed Steel Car	38	38	38
Pullman	144	144	144
Ray Con.	18½	18½	18½
Republic I. & S.	30½	30½	30½
Republic I. & S. pf.	97½	97½	97½
Sloss-Sheffield	57½	57½	57½
Standard Oil	560	560	560
Tennessee Copper	34½	34½	34½
Texas Pacific	15½	15½	15½
Third Avenue	39½	39½	39½
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe	20½	20½	20½
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe pf.	70½	70½	70½
U. S. Rubber	5½	5½	5½
U. S. Rubber 1st pf.	13½	13½	13½
U. S. Rubber 2d pf.	5½	5½	5½
U. S. Steel	62½	62½	62½
U. S. Steel pf.	120½	120½	120½
Va.-Car. Chem.	45½	45½	45½
Va.-Car. Chem. pf.	97½	97½	97½
Western Union	70½	70½	70½
Westinghouse	70½	70½	70½

BOSTON CURB PRICES.

Range of Prices from 10 a. m. to 11 a. m.

	Sales.	High.	Low.
Amer. Consol.	10	1½	1½
Bay State Gas	31	3½	3½
Bonanza	31	2½	2½
Bonanza	31	2½	2½
Boston Ely	31	2½	2½
Boston & Mont.	31	18	18
Butte Coalition	31	18½	18½
Calumet & Corbin	31	3½	3½
Carson	31	2½	2½
Chief	31	2½	2½
Cobalt Contact	31	2½	2½
Con. Copper	31	2½	2½
Davis Daly	31	2½	2½
Dominion Coal	31	2½	2½
Dominion Coal pf.	31	2½	2½
Dominion Iron	31	2½	2½
Dominion Iron pf.	31	2½	2½
Emerald	31	2½	2½
Engineering Con.	31	2½	2½
Gold Hill	31	2½	2½
Gold Hill Con.	31	2½	2½
Goldfield Con.	31	2½	2½
Goldfield Con.	31	2½	2½
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City of Boston.

987 OFFICE of the LICENSING BOARD FOR THE CITY OF BOSTON, MARCH 19, 1910.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Bernard Welch of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, has applied to the Board of Police of said City for a license of the Sixth Class to sell intoxicating liquors on Wharf st., **Nos. 39 and 40 Lewis's block, Commercial street, to be used and drunk on the premises**, and that said application will be heard at a meeting of said Board, at their office in said city, on Monday, the twenty-first day of March, 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

EZRA H. BAKER, Chairman.

1078 OFFICE of the LICENSING BOARD FOR THE CITY OF BOSTON, MARCH 19, 1910.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Bernard C. Berne of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, has applied to the Board of Police of said City for a license of the Seventh Class to sell intoxicating liquors on Wharf st., **Nos. 39 and 40 Lewis's block, Commercial street, to be used and drunk on the premises**, and that said application will be heard at a meeting of said Board, at their office in said city, on Monday, the twenty-first day of March, 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

EZRA H. BAKER, Chairman.

952 OFFICE of the LICENSING BOARD FOR THE CITY OF BOSTON, MARCH 19, 1910.

Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that Benjamin Wright of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, has applied for a license of the Seventh Class to sell intoxicating liquors on Wrights, has applied for a license of the Seventh Class to sell intoxicating liquors on Wrights, **No. 549 Shawmut avenue**, to be used and drunk on the premises, and that said application will be heard at a meeting of said Board, at their office in said city, on Monday, the twenty-first day of March, 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

EZRA H. BAKER, Chairman.

DEATH NOTICES

SEVERING—In East Boston, March 16, Annie Marion (nee Lyons), wife of Frank Severing.

Funeral from the residence of her sister, Mrs. James B. Barbour, 1 Chelsea st., East Boston, on Tuesday, March 22, at 8.30, thence to St. John the Baptist Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

THE REQUIEM of Mozart's Mass took place from the Church of the Immaculate Conception Friday morning. Soloists: Leibnitz "Dresses" was sung by Miss Florence Mackie.

LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED OR STOLEN from Beachmont March 14, Boston Terrier dog; white with brindle head; answers to the name of Nib. Finder will be suitably rewarded. Notify Mrs. Mary Manfredi at 140 Bennington st., Beachmont.

LOST—Yellow and white Boston terrier dog, mouse color, with white blaze; perfect white markings on feet; answers to name of Bob; liberal reward. Return to 1 Bay State road, Boston, or notify JOHN F. DOOLEY, 62 St. Botolph street, Boston.

$5 REWARD—Lost on Tuesday evening, Mar. 15, between Hotel Bedford and Dorchester, a gold watch, initials on, gentleman's gold watch and fob. Finder please return to 1 Bay State road, Boston.

LOST—About 5 Thursday afternoon, between Boylston and Dartmouth sts., a gold watch and pendant Brunette design; heart rose chain. Liberal reward if returned to 5 Dartmouth st.

LOST—Brooch, diamonds alternating with rubies in shape of gold; Wednesday, March 9, between Tourine, Art Museum and Cambridge; liberal reward for return. C 561, Boston American.

Information Wanted.

WILLIS G. TOWNE—Information regarding his whereabouts will be rewarded. Address any one having news for him. H 926, Boston American.

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SUNDAY, AT 4 P. M.

Mr. George W. Dutler, musical director, assisted by a full chorus, Mr. Harris S. Shaw, organist, will render appropriate music on the vesper service; Mrs. Annie Estelle Hollis, Miss Gertrude Johnson, soprano; Mrs. Bertha D. Dudley, contralto; Mr. E. S. Bullock, tenor; Dr. G. H. Clark, bass.

The address March 20 will be by the Rev. Ulric W. Brocmell, on the subject, "The Great Awakening."

The musical program will include the following selections:

"The Lord Is My Light" ..... Parker

Solo and Chorus (Redemption), "Lovely Appear" ..... Gounod

Soprano Solo (Double Quartette), 40th Psalm "There is a River" ..... Buck

Contralto Solo (Elijah), "O Rest in the Lord" ..... Mendelssohn

Anthem, Solo and Chorus, "Harken Unto Me, My People" ..... Gaul

CHURCH FOR SOCIAL SERVICE—Rev. Francis G. Peabody, D. D., minister, Memorial Church, every Sunday, 11 a. m. Subject, March 20—"The Unpaid Debt of Democracy."

Male Help Wanted.

EXPERIENCED stitchers wanted, male or female. 10 FINKLESTEIN, 226 Washington st.

FIRST-CLASS bookkeeper for post-age on nearby building; experience necessary; state age, salary expected. 29-30 Y 10 to 1100 Globe; only steady permanent employment; promotion, 300 men a month; must be qualified to furnish best of reference. Apply at once to RAILWAY ASSOCIATION, care 2 268 Stanhope American.

WANTED—Pipe fitters with experience in automatic sprinkler work; permanent work to steady men; highest wages paid. Apply at once to 1 to 3 MATIC FIRE SPRINKLER COMPANY, P. O. Station, Dorchester, Mass.

WANTED—Boys over 16, outside work. BOS-TON TOWBOAT CO., foot of Lincoln st., South Boston.

WANTED—Man experienced in fine work on spreaders in rubber factory; also experienced mill hands. Apply to Human Rubber Co., Factory, Chelsea side ave., Chelsea Plains.

WANTED—Tanner; leaving on 9.30 McKay shoes. STOVER & BEAN CO., Hood Building, Lowell, Mass.

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INSTRUCTION in moving picture operating; at work; write EASTERN THEATRICAL AGENCY, 18 Bolton st., room 6.

LEARN automobile business in our repair shop; thorough instruction and fitting you for good job. C. BONNEY, 45 Stanhope st.

MEN WANTED to learn to drive and repair a locomotive in our repair shop; day and evening classes; positions guaranteed after graduation. NEW ENGLAND AUTO CO., 809 Tremont st., Boston.

WANTED—Moving picture operators; salary $20 to $30 per week and expenses; steady work. Address letter R. I. MOVING PICTURE CO., 44 Broad st., Portsmouth, R. I. 2nd Sheet, open evenings.

Male Situations Wanted.

ALGEBRA PAINTER, 18 years' experience, paints all kinds of signs, poor and good work; will go out of town or job, with own or customer's materials; reasonable. 8 Lagrange st., Boston, Mass. Tel. 81 Lenox; ask.

AN AMERICAN MAN, middle age, would like situation on gentleman's place; understands care of horses, cows, poultry, garden, etc.; can take such place, 27 Fall 11 Friend st., Boston, Mass.

EXPERIENCED young man wants work cleaning cellarages or general work at beaches; handy with horses; can drive automobile and do general work day or week. F. D. 4 Phillips st., Dorchester.

JOURNEYMAN SHOEMAKER, young man, American, with clean record and three years experience, wishes steady position in shoe factory; educational reasons; can make good on legitimate proposition. P 960, Boston American.

A YOUNG COLORED BOY, 17 years old would like position as dasher's boy; has had some experience; high grade references from A1 parties. Call or address 1111 Washington st., room 11, Fayette st., suite 2.

WANTED—Position as coachman; private, family; professional expert automobilist, adults, veteran in service; unexcelled references; age 35; single; sobriety. Address AUDITOR, P. O. Box 2094, Boston.

EDUCATED young man would teach Spanish to some ambitious party; is a college man and has several years' experience in teaching. Reasonable. Address E 491, Boston American.

BOOKKEEPER wants early hours; has opened, audited, systemized, etc.; trial balance, financial statement; will furnish set on paper that will be O. K. Address P 959, Boston American.

CAPABLE COOL MAN wants steady work by day; absolutely understands horse-taming and care of horses; can drive and repair automobile. ALPHONSO WALCOTT, 30 Mt. Pleasant st., Cambridge.

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80 AND 82 SUMMER ST., BOSTON, MARCH 19, 1910

The Governing Power Must Be Somewhere

Our Forefathers Took It Away from the People, and the Trust Owners Now Have It. Cannon as Trust Lackey

It would be well if every citizen could read the story that Alfred Henry Lewis writes in the April Cosmopolitan about Joseph Cannon.

Cannon is the ruler of the House of Representatives at Washington. There he is the ruler of legislation in this country. He can choke off legislation to oblige the trusts that own him. He can hurry on legislation after other trust-owned officials on the floor have set it going.

The story that Lewis tells is one to make the conscientious citizen ashamed of himself—and for that reason it is one that he ought to read.

Lewis quotes Cannon's cynical saying:

"If La Follette is a Republican, then I am not a Republican. If I am a Republican, then La Follette is not a Republican."

Joseph Cannon might as well have added:

"If La Follette is an honorable public official, then I am not an honorable public official."

La Follette IS an honorable official. He works for the people that sent him to the Senate. And in the Senate he tells the truth about such men as Cannon, and yet Cannon continues to have the power in this country.

In a nation of about 90,000,000 of human beings—a majority of them hard working, honest and anxious for decent government—such a man as Cannon rules, gladly doing the dirty work of the trusts. No wonder that muckrakers, big and little, poor-kind-hearted, dull reformers, who think they have discovered vice and virtue, ask, "What is the matter with the country? What is the matter with the government?"

There is just THIS the matter with the government: Our fathers were afraid of the power of kings. They hated the rule of England. They objected to the taxing power of Parliament.

When the old Americans established this country and Constitution their minds were full of the horror of government and its power and they had an idea that by constitutional hocus pocus government they could do away with power.

They did all they could to weaken the power of government, and in weakening the power of government THEY INCREASED INEVITABLY THE POWER OF ROCKEFELLERS, ARCHBOLDS, CANNONS AND MANY OTHERS. Our trouble was expressed by Reed, who presided in the House of Representatives before Cannon, when Reed said:

"I welcome any discussion which would create responsible government SOMEWHERE."

THAT is one trouble in this country. We have a government which puts the responsibility NOWHERE. Our forefathers forgot that power may be taken from one man and given to another. Power may be taken from government, BUT POWER MUST BE SOMEWHERE.

If the GOVERNMENT hasn't the power, then the private individual or the secret alliance of private individuals WILL HAVE THE POWER.

The power which should be in our government, for the wise use of which certain men or bodies should be responsible, is taken away from government, and you find that power in the checkbook of an Archbold, in the corrupt practices of a Foraker, in the servile lickspittle corporation service of a Cannon.

We have two law-making bodies, the House of Representatives and the Senate. One of them can kill the work that the other does, and therefore the trusts that can buy the boss of one or both of these law-making bodies can kill the laws that they do not want, and the people have no way whatever of forcing upon the statute books the laws THAT THEY DO WANT.

If the House and the Senate both agree by any accident to do what the corporations do NOT want, the trusts still have the President of the United States, who with his veto can kill the law and send it back, the law remaining dead unless it is passed by both houses by a strong majority.

And even if the corporations should fail with the lower House and the Senate and the President, THERE IS STILL THE SUPREME COURT. And more than one trust has put more than one man on the Supreme Court bench. And the man who fails to realize this or who fears to say it because of some bogie of court respect is an idiot and ought to be living under a despot and not under a republic.

This Supreme Court, when the trusts can control the man who has the final say, CAN DEFEAT AN INCOME TAX, AS IT DID NOT LONG AGO, AT THE BEHEST OF THE RICH.

All the way along the line there is somebody or something that organized wealth can use in its battles. And nowhere is there any means by which the PEOPLE can express their will and ENFORCE IT.

The President cannot be held responsible, for he can always say: "All I can do is to sign laws. If Congress doesn't SEND me the laws to sign I cannot sign them."

And the congressional members, as individuals, can say: "All I can do is to vote for the good laws; I am not the whole body, I cannot MAKE them."

Nobody is actually responsible. Well might Reed, although himself a part of the Republican corporation machine, long to see RESPONSIBLE GOVERNMENT SOMEWHERE.

This doesn't mean that we must go back to the days of kings and absolute rulers. It means that a mistake was made in this country in the Constitution of the Nation and in the Constitution of the State, taking away power from the people, which means the government, AND THUS PUTTING POWER IN THE HANDS OF INDIVIDUALS.

The State, for instance, or the city, has not the power to run a street car system or a gas company. That power is taken away by a constitution, and therefore private individuals HAVE THE POWER TO ROB THE PEOPLE INDEFINITELY THROUGH STREET CARS AND GAS COMPANIES.

What we need is not an autocrat to rule benevolently, but we need RESPONSIBLE GOVERNMENT SOMEWHERE, not in an individual, BUT IN THE PEOPLE.

The people should have the right to INITIATE legislation. They should have the power to recall and to remove from office any disloyal officials.

They will have it when they have time to think about government and when they get ready to prove themselves worthy of the vote.

Never Again!

By T. E. POWERS

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JOHN DEAR GO UP TO THE ATTIC AND GET MY SPRING DRESSING SACK IT'S IN THE LITTLE RED TRUNK
I NEVER GET A MOMENTS REST
OUCH!
THAT ISN'T A DRESSING SACK MAKE ANOTHER TRY!
NEVER AGAIN!
T. E. POWERS

A Demand for Direct Legislation That Is Extremely Conservative

Direct legislation is opposed by the State House lobby and by the selfish special interests that employ lobbies to help them to secure unwarranted favors from the Legislature. That should be reason enough for every honest man to look with favor upon a proposition having for its objective the placing of law-making power directly in the hands of the people.

There is a resolve before the Legislature at the present time which provides for an amendment to the constitution authorizing direct legislation or a people's veto through the optional referendum and a direct initiative by petition. It is based on the petition of John Weaver Sherman, representing the Legislative Committee of Boston's organized labor forces.

Improper Special Privileges.

It has the indorsement and support of numerous citizens' associations and public improvement societies throughout the Commonwealth and of large business interests. Mr. W. E. Butler, one of Boston's leading merchants, is one of the active advocates of the resolve.

In a few days, in the regular order of business, this matter will be reached on the House calendar. It should be thoroughly debated. Its course through the legislative channels has been given a good start, inasmuch as it has been favorably reported by the Committee on Constitutional Amendments, with but two changes from the original draft.

There are indications that the Republican State machine does not look with favor upon this measure, which would strengthen the hands of the people and deprive the interests that look for improper special privileges of the opportunity to secure them. The first vote of the committee was unanimously in favor of the slightly altered resolve. Later, three Republicans, Tolman of Gloucester, a Senator, Holmes of Attleboro and Hathaway of New Bedford, Representatives, quietly filed their dissent to the report.

The proposed amendment to the constitution is very conservatively drawn. It provides for the popular initiative and referendum of laws that are not urgent or emergency measures. It does not interfere in the least with the enactment of urgent or necessary laws relating to the business, health or safety of the Commonwealth. It would not in any way embarrass appropriations for current and unusual expenses of government. Surrounded with these safeguards it is difficult to see what effective line of attack can be taken by the opponents of direct legislation.

There have been direct legislation measures before preceding Legislatures. They have been denounced as radical. The argument has been made that ours is a representative form of government and that the law-making power rests solely with the representatives elected to the Legislature. What a departure from the theory of government as understood by the fathers! To-day the argument is made that a representative form of government means that the representatives are the masters and not the servants of the people.

Town Meeting Principles.

Representative form of government is merely the outgrowth of the general assembly or "town meeting" form of government. Indeed, there is a provision in the constitution which says that the executive, legislative and judicial officials are but agents and substitutes of the people and are at all times accountable to them. But the constitution was framed in days when a man's ability and purpose to serve the people were the tests of his selection.

It was not thought necessary to provide a way to compel the "agents" or "substitutes" of the people to act in accordance with the popular will. In these modern times, when ability and purpose to serve the political bosses and the special interests are the tests of selection to public office, the fact is too often sadly brought to public attention that the framers of the constitution had too much faith in men.

Direct legislation would be a means of compelling members of the Legislature to obey the popular will. It would eliminate the power of the bosses. It would destroy the sinister influence of the special privilege-seeking class. It would do away with lobbying and bribe-taking. It would be a spur to able, honest and patriotic men to take a greater interest in public affairs. It would force men who would be legislators to inform themselves on public questions. It would encourage people to do their own thinking and would promote the general education on public questions.

Referendum Proposed.

Political parties in their platform for many years have declared in favor of some form of direct legislation. As a rule, the representatives of the Democratic party have voted in favor of direct legislation, but the Republican party, through its representatives at the State House, has prevented any form of direct law-making being put into operation.

The proposed amendment to the constitution now before the Legislature must be passed by a majority vote of the Senate and a two-thirds vote of the House this year and next, and the following year submitted to the people for their approval and ratification in order to become a part of the constitution of the Commonwealth. It proposes that general legislative authority be vested in the General Court with the people reserving to themselves power of proposing laws and amendments to the constitution and of enacting or rejecting them at the polls independently of the General Court.

It would give the people the right to initiate legislation on petition of 20 per cent of the vote cast for Governor at the preceding election. If the measure thus petitioned for was not passed, was amended, or vetoed by the Governor, it would be referred, together with any amended form or substitute recommended by the General Court, to the people at the next State election.

Nothing could be fairer than the referendum proposal, which is that the referendum could be ordered either by the General Court or on petition of 15 per cent. of the vote cast for Governor at the preceding election. While emergency measures would not be affected by the proposed law, it is distinctly stipulated that "no grant of any franchises shall be declared to be an emergency measure," in fact line may be drawn the opposition of public service corporations.

The proposed amendment is drawn in plain and clear terms. Its purpose is obvious. It means simply this, that the people, dissatisfied with the work of the legislature, or satisfied in their own minds that their representatives were not endeavoring to carry out the popular will, could take the law-making power into their own hands. It would seem to be clear enough that this is a proposition that deserves and should receive the encouragement and support of every patriotic citizen of Massachusetts.

Rhymo the Monk

By GUS MAGER

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YOU TAKE THE BALL,—GIVE ME THE BAT
WE'LL HAVE A GAME OF ONE-OLD-CAT!
NOW PITCH THE BALL ABOUT SO HIGH
AND WATCH ME BOOST IT TO THE SKY!
I SWING THE BAT WITH ALL MY FORCE,
AND AFTER THAT — HOME RUN, OF COURSE
NOW YOU'LL KETCH IT, POP!

The Hallroom Boys

By H. A. MacGILL

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THERE GOES JIMMY WHITE - THE CRACK POLO PLAYER. DO YOU EVER PLAY THE GAME, MR. HALL-ROOM?
SURE! EVERY YEAR OUR TEAM OF WHICH I'M THE CAPTAIN, PLAY DOWN AT THE POLO GROUNDS.
WE HAVEN'T BEEN BEATEN YET.
1
COMING TO SEE OUR POLO GAME THIS AFTERNOON GIRLS? I'M AFRAID WE WON'T BE ABLE TO PLAY WITH FULL TEAMS AS A COUPLE OF THE BOYS CAN'T COME.
THE BOYS PLAY MR. G. WHATAWAD. WHY NOT ASK THEM.
2
BILLY - SHAKE HANDS WITH MR. HALL-ROOM. THE BOYS WILL FILL OUT OUR TEAM, SO WE'LL BE ABLE TO HAVE A GOOD GAME AFTER ALL
GEE! WE'RE IN IT GOOD THIS TIME!
3
GET AFTER IT HALL-ROOM!
4
HEAVENS - WHAT A MIX UP! WHAT'LL THEY THINK - US BEATING IT THIS WAY.
THE DOOCE! STAY THERE AND GET KILLED? NIX!
5
GREAT GUNS! THOSE PONIES ARE SWIFT UNMANAGEABLE - I'M USED TO HEADY HORSES, BUT IN POLO ONE NEEDS AN ANIMAL THAT'LL OBEY THE SLIGHTEST PRESSURE.
SURE?
HA - HA! WAS THE PACE TOO SWIFT FOR YOU HALL-ROOM?
H.A. MacGill
6